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THE WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—San Francisco and vicinity: Fair this afternoon and tonight; cloudy Thursday; light northerly winds.

ALEX McADIE, Forecast Official.

STEEL MAGNATE IS BACK FROM TOUR.

CHARLES M. SCHWAB.

Charles M. Schwab Says United States is not the Only Manufacturing Nation.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Charles M. Schwab, who returned to New York on the steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, said in an interview that he had never felt so well in his life or been so glad to get back to work. He declared he had no intention of resigning the presidency of the steel combine.

Referring to his observations in Europe, Mr. Schwab said:

"I must say that there is great commercial activity in parts of Europe, Germany, for example, as well as France. This is not the only manufacturing nation in the world, and the sooner we realize that the better."

SCHWAB AT HIS OFFICE.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Charles M. Schwab was at the office of the United States Steel Corporation today where he was greeted by the chiefs of the various divisions. Later he called at the banking house of J. P. Morgan and Company and conferred with several members of that firm.

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STRUCK BY FAST EXPRESS.

Miraculous Escape of James Bell of West Berkeley.

James Bell, proprietor of Bell's Rose Nursery, West Berkeley, was struck by the Oregon Express about 10 o'clock last night at the West Berkeley station, and had a most miraculous escape from instant death. He is seriously injured, but Dr. Hyde at the Receiving Hospital has hopes of his ultimate recovery. He was placed on board a Berkeley local and taken to the Sixteenth-street depot and removed from there in the police patrol to the Receiving Hospital here.

Bell was unconscious last night, but came out of his stupor after a night's rest and was able this morning to tell the hospital attendants who he was, but he was unable to throw any light on how he came to get in the path of the rushing train.

In a conversation with him this morning, he said: "I have no knowledge of anything which happened last night. My name is James Bell, and I conduct a nursery out at West Berkeley. When I woke up this morning, I thought that I was at home, but in a few minutes felt pains in my body and then noticed my surroundings. I have a wife and have lived in West Berkeley about twelve years."

According to a report made at the hospital of the affair, Bell was considerably under the influence of liquor. He had been spending the evening in the saloons in the neighborhood of the Berkeley station, but shortly before 10 o'clock left to go to his home. He started across the track just as the Oregon Express came thundering through without stopping. He was hurled a distance of about 20 feet and fell into a ditch by the side of the track. A small hip bone was broken and he has numerous bruises and contusions, and is suffering from the general shock and possible internal injuries.

How it happened that Bell was not instantly killed is the surprise of the accident. Word was sent to his home at 1546 Dwight Way of his whereabouts this morning, and arrangements were immediately begun to have him removed there. He is 60 years of age.

MRS. BARRIE WANTS A DIVORCE.

Makes Sensational Charges Against Her Husband and Her Young Nephew.

A divorce suit promising sensational developments was begun today by Mrs Eliza A. Barrie who asks for a final and complete separation from her husband, Alex C. Barrie. He is a traveling salesman for the Simmons Hardware Company of St Louis, drawing a princely salary. He is alleged to be wealthy outside of the income which he derives from his connection with the company by whom he is employed. The Barries live in a beautiful home at 2239 Channing way, Berkeley. It was only a short time ago that Mrs. Barrie, through the courts, gained her liberty from a private insane asylum where she states she was placed by her husband. This is one of the causes upon which she bases her complaint for a divorce.

The Barries were married on November 10, 1875 at Collingwood, in the province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada. Mrs. Barrie now asks for a divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty. There is one child as issue of the union, Adelaide May, a girl 15 years of age. With the Barries live Frederick Wade, a nephew of Alex. Barrie, and his sister, Winnie Wade, both of whom it is alleged, by Mrs. Barrie, have materially aided in breaking up the tranquality of her home and estranging her from her husband.

Since her release from the sanitarium at Livermore last February, Mrs. Barrie has made her home with Mrs. F. L. Turpin who lives at 40 Bartlett street, San Francisco. Her case excited the interest of a large circle of acquaintances the Barries had on both sides of the bay and I. J. Truman, president of the Columbian Banking Company in San Francisco especially interested himself in her behalf. Her daughter is still living at the Barrie home, also Frederick Wade and his sister and Miss Herrick a maiden sister of Mrs. Barrie's. Barrie himself spends a great deal of his time in traveling and is away from home most of the time.

The effort, on a writ of habeas corpus, to gain the release of Mrs. Barrie from Dr. Robertson's private sanitarium at Livermore last February was the first intimation the public had of the private affairs of the Barrie family. Mrs. Barrie had then been confined in an asylum four months and a half and was alleged to be in perfect mental condition. The trial of the case attracted widespread attention, owing to the allegations made and the character of the people ranged on either side of the case.

The startling part of the testimony came, when it developed that Mrs. Barrie had been forced into a carriage at midnight by her husband and nephew and driven from their home in Berkeley a distance of fifty miles to Livermore where she was placed in an asylum for the insane without any process of law or examination by qualified physicians.

Mrs. Barrie alleges that while confined in the sanitarium she was allowed to see no one, not even her child or a minister, on orders given by her husband. A letter introduced at the trial of the habeas corpus proceedings showed in how highhanded a manner the thing had been conducted when it was shown that I. J. Truman had written to Barrie, asking him to give permission at the asylum for the Methodist minister to be allowed to visit Mrs. Barrie. The letter was returned to Truman without being opened, and on the back of it was written "Will you kindly mind your own business and give your advice when asked for. —A. C. Barrie."

Mrs. Barrie dates her troubles from the advent of Frederick Wade and his sister in the Barrie household about a year and a half ago.

Miss Wade, in the complaint, is passed over sparingly owing to the allegation that she is subject to spasms and fits and it was mostly owing to the disagreeable nature of Miss Wade's malady that her presence was objected to by Mrs. Barrie.

Wade, however, is characterized as a person without moral instincts. He is accused of having taken advantage of his position in the Barrie home. It was when Mrs. Barrie objected to his actions toward his 15-year-old cousin that she made an enemy of her relative.

The influence of the two, she claims, turned her husband's mind against her and poisoned the affection of her only child and finally led to a forcible abduction of her in the middle of the night by her husband and his nephew. The entire story hardly has a parallel in the annals of modern fiction.

Without warning she was taken from her home and placed in a mad house. There was a wild carriage ride at the dead of night which only ended with the morning and the companionship of the insane. Her captors, gloried in her presence at thus getting rid of her and supposed that her incarceration was final.

After months, Miss Herrick, an aged sister of Mrs. Barrie, learned of the actual place where her sister was imprisoned and communicated with friends and the Humane Society, who took immediate steps to have a thorough investigation of the affair with the result that after the most cursory examination of the facts, Judge Ogden ordered her release. Mrs. Barrie asks for $150 alimony, the amount it is stated, Barrie paid for her confinement at the sanitarium, the community property which is only valued at a few thousand dollars, and the custody of her daughter.

CHARGE OF MURDER AGAINST HIM.

Victoria Insurance Clerk is Arrested When He Lands at the Dock.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—George Jeffs, a former insurance clerk of Victoria, B. C., was arrested on his arrival from the north by Detective Freel today on a charge of murder. The arrest was made at the request of Chief of Police Langley of that city, who is now on his way with extradition papers for the prisoner.

Jeffs is a young man of good appearance and his manners are those of one accustomed to good society. When arrested, according to his own statement, he did not know the character of his alleged offense, and when informed that he was held for the murder of William Anderson, a prominent attorney of Victoria, he remarked with emotion that he did not know Anderson was injured or dead.

Anderson's body was found at the foot of a staircase in his home on Sunday morning, and an examination showed that death resulted from a fractured skull.

Investigation disclosed the fact that on Saturday night Anderson, who was intoxicated, became so noisy in a saloon that the proprietor threatened to put him out of the place.

Jeffs interfered on behalf of Anderson and in some manner Anderson fell to the floor with terrific force.

It was reported that Anderson's skull was fractured at the time, but Jeffs, who took Anderson home, says that when he left Anderson at his gate, there was nothing in his appearance to indicate that he was suffering.

Jeffs expresses his willingness to return to Victoria.

Jeffs explains his sudden departure from Victoria by saying that he purchased his ticket on Saturday afternoon in anticipation of leaving Victoria on Sunday for San Francisco.

LIBERALS WIN ON SUSSEX

OPPOSITION IN PARLIAMENT PLEASED WITH THE RESULT.

LONDON, March 18.—The Conservatives have suffered a crushing reverse in the Rye division of Sussex, where a bye-election was held yesterday for a successor to Mr. Brookfield, who has been appointed British Consul at Montevideo.

The result was the return of C. F. Hutchinson, Liberal, by a majority of 534 over Edward Boyle, Conservative. Mr. Hutchinson, who appealed to the electors as a critic of the Government's whole policy, obtained over 2,000 more votes than he did in 1900 when he opposed Mr. Brookfield, while the Conservative vote fell off about 1000.

The result of the election at the Rye has caused great satisfaction to the members of the opposition in Parliament, this being the first gain of an important seat since the Liberals took up a definite attitude in the army controversy.

There was much talk in the lobby of the House of Commons to-day about the "moral" effect this and the Woolwich reverse would have on the Government. It is safe, however, to say that the situation, so far as the Government program is concerned, will not be changed.

SALOONKEEPER TAKES POISON.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Antonio Quarisma, a saloonkeeper, committed suicide today by swallowing strychnine. Despondency over his financial condition is ascribed as the cause for his deed. He leaves a widow and daughter.

DENVER, March 18.—The snow storm which reached this city from the west this morning has proved to be the most severe blizzard experienced here this winter.

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BURDICK INQUEST GOES OVER TILL MONDAY.

THE LATE MRS. ARTHUR R. PENNELL.
She was killed in an automobile accident.

Charles S. Park Points the Finger of Suspicion at Lawyer Arthur Pennell.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 18.—The Burdick inquest has been postponed until next Monday. District Attorney Coatsworth is suffering from a sore throat and cannot speak without great difficulty.

For the first time since the murder of Edwin L. Burdick, suspicion as to the identity of his murderer was voiced yesterday with quasi-official sanction at the third session of the police court inquest.

In reply to the question of District Attorney Coatsworth, "Well, who was it?" Charles S. Park, the business partner of Mr. Burdick replied: "Arthur Pennell or a hired assassin."

The question and answer were the most sensational features of the inquest up to that time.

Hitherto the officials had named no one in connection with the supposed murder.

It is known, however, that the authorities knew beforehand who Mr. Park was to name.

The police and district attorney had previously talked over the crime with Mr. Park, who were aware of the trend of his suspicions.

MOODY INSPECTS HARBOR

FINDS SITE FOR COALING STATION AT BAHIA HONDA FAVORABLE.

HAVANA, March 18.—Secretary Moody and party, with the exception of Postmaster-General Payne and Senator Hale, left for Santiago on a special train to-day. Mr. Payne continued his journey to Santiago on the Dolphin and Senator Hale has started for Washington.

Mr. Moody will stop at Matanzas, Santa Clara and Puerto Principe and will arrive at Santiago Friday.

The Secretary informed the correspondent of the Associated Press previous to his departure that the impression he had formed during his three hours' stay ashore at Bahia Honda was entirely favorable. The harbor, he added, is convenient and there is an ample site for a coaling station. The coral formation of the bottom of the harbor will apparently require little dredging.

Mr. Moody found that an American company had already purchased a big tract of land for colonization purposes in the immediate vicinity of the coaling site.

GRAND AUCTION.

Of elegant and costly furniture, carpets, etc., on Friday, March 20, at 11 a. m., at 1515 Fairview street, Lorin (Grove St. cars to Lorin, then west two blocks). By order of Mrs. J. T. Sullivan, magnificent parlor upholstery, mahogany rockers, couches, imported lace curtains, oil paintings, three grand bedroom suits, one massive brass bed, hair beds, portieres, elegant oak side board, extension table and chairs, art brass fire irons, silverware, etc., finest of body Brussels and velvet carpets, beautiful gilt frame mantel mirror, cost $275; solid oak lady's secretary, maple etagere, massive hall hat-rack, suitable for reception hall, nearly new model art kitchen range, with warming closet and tile stand, kitchen requisites, etc., etc. Admirers of elegant furnishings are requested to attend. Sale peremptory.

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WORK OF LOCAL UNION.

REPORTS ARE MADE TO THE FEDERATED TRADES COUNCIL.

The proceedings at the last meeting of the Federated Trades were as follows:

The meeting was called to order at 8:20 p. m., President Petry in the chair.

On motion the reading of minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with.

Credentials were received from the following unions and the delegates obligated and seated.

Laborers' Protective union—J. J. Burke, P. Flynn, Geo. Principians.

Gas workers' union—John Forest, Daniel McCarthy, M. N. Hennings.

Stationary firemen—Walter Cox.

A communication was received from the blind home in reference to the brooms manufactured at that place. Referred to executive committee.

REPORT OF UNIONS

Boxmakers—Have decided to present their schedule of hours and wages to the Eagle and Oakland box factories.

Pressmen—Initiated one at last meeting. Have three applications on file.

Clerks—Have a membership of 294, of this number 64 are ladies, and are anxious to have their patrons call for working cards.

Cooks and waiters—Business agent reports that the boycott on Dennett's restaurant is still on, and that the public in general is giving the union good moral support as is evidenced by the fact that the house is not paying expenses. Request that all unions affiliated with the council place a fine on members who patronize Japanese or Chinese restaurants, or any other place of business conducted by the same.

Bartenders—Initiating from eight to twenty members every meeting. Request all union men to call for their union card.

Laborers' Protective—Have 240 members and a great many applications on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Executive committee reports that they have adjusted their differences of several parties in the past week.

Organizing committee reports that the carriage blacksmiths and horseshoers are about to form a union.

NEW BUSINESS.

Motion to vote on by-laws seriatum. Carried.

Executive committee was granted time to investigate the matter of the bottlers' union.

Furniture workers' schedule was referred to the executive committee.

The schedule of the boxmakers was referred to the executive committee.

Executive committee was instructed to be present at Becker's hall, Saturday evening at 7:45.

RECEIPTS OF THE EVENING.

Laborers' union $1.00; teamsters $2.50; teamsters' donation to tanners $5.00.

Respectfully submitted.

G. K. SMITH.
Secretary (pro tem).

FAILED FOR A LARGE SUM.

LONDON, March 18.—The failure was announced today of Boody and Bayliff, solicitors. Their liabilities are over $1,000,000.

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Coke's Dandruff Cure, reg. price $1.00	" "	65c
Bromo Quinine, regular price 25c	" "	10c
Bromo Seltzer, regular price 25c	" "	15c
Ayer's Hair Vigor, regular price $1.00	" "	65c
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BATTLE IN COURTS TO BREAK MERGER.

Government Opens Its Attack on the Great Railroad Trust in the North.

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—The hearing of the arguments in the anti-merger case of the United States Government against the Northern Securities Company of New Jersey began at 10 o'clock this morning in the Court of Appeals before Judges Sanborn, Caldwell, Thayer and Vandevanter. Legal counsel for both sides arrived last night.

Judge Caldwell announced at the opening of court that the attorneys would not be limited as to time in the presentation of arguments.

James M. Beck, Assistant Attorney-General, opened for the Government. An abstract of his argument follows:

It would be difficult, Mr. Beck said, to minimize the importance of his controversy. Few cases have ever been presented to any court which affected corporate interests of such magnitude, and still fewer which more vitally concern the welfare of the American people.

"If competing carriers can form a stable, permanent and controlling combination with indefinite and perpetual powers through the simple device of a so-called 'holding corporation,' organized under a state charter—a form which is far more inimical to the public interests than the traffic arrangements or technical trusts which the law has hitherto demanded—then both the Interstate Commerce Act of 1887, with its inhibition of pooling, then the Act of July 1890, with its sweeping condemnation of all combinations in restraint of trade or attempted monopolies, will be nullified by the power of individuals, who will thus show the impotence of the declared will of the American people."

Mr. Beck contended that the boards of directors of the Union Pacific, the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern and Burlington systems had been so grouped that all interests were represented in each and all motive and necessities for competition eliminated; that in this manner a working combination had been effected which controlled the three transcontinental systems, otherwise competitive, whose total trackage was over 33,000 miles. He analyzed the Sherman anti-trust law and contended that it clearly prohibited such a combination.

COURTS ARE PRACTICAL.

The courts, he said, are too practical to ignore the known and natural results of human action. In dealing with this question they regard as a maxim the proposition that to remove the motive for competition is to destroy competition itself. It is obvious that the officers of the Great Northern, chosen by the Northern Securities, can have no motive to compete with the officers of the Northern Pacific in the operation of their respective systems, for the prosperity of the Great Northern is the prosperity of the Northern Pacific and vice versa. They have a common owner and a common master and it is of no practical consequence whether the people use one or the other as a carrier as the entire proceeds of their joint traffic necessarily go into the common treasury of the Northern Securities Company. To suggest that competition is possible where competition is useless is an absurdity.

THE STOCKHOLDERS.

To the claim that each stockholder has the right to dispose of his property at pleasure Mr. Beck answered that no individual can in common with others, dispose of his property as to violate the anti-trust law. Irrespective of the abstract power to sell, the legality of the transaction must turn upon the power of the Northern Securities Company to buy the stock of the two constituent systems and this, he contended, did not exist in view of the provision of the law which forbids any attempt to monopolize competitive traffic.

Stockholders cannot, however, veil unlawful acts in a corporate charter. It is true that as between the corporation and the stockholders, and for purposes of corporate government, the law treats the corporation as a separate entity from the stockholders, but it is unquestioned law that the fiction of a corporation's separate existence cannot avail the individuals who compose it as between them and the State and especially where the provisions of a remedial or penal statute are concerned. Violations of the law cannot be used under the plea of charter privileges.

But whatever the powers of the State of New Jersey may be as against laws of Minnesota, Montana, Idaho, North Dakota, and Washington, it is obvious that they are powerless when invoked against the Constitution of the United States, which is the supreme law of the land, the laws of New Jersey to the contrary notwithstanding. Any other view would make the State, through its power to create corporations with indefinite powers, superior to the Federal Government and supreme in matters of legislation. The proposition is unthinkable.

ULTIMATE CONTROL.

In the last analysis the stockholders clearly operate the road. Theirs is the ultimate control. To enjoin the employees of an interstate railroad from interfering by a boycott with interstate commerce and then deny equal authority to control the employer who seeks to hide behind a paper charter would be a monstrous and indefensible anomaly in the law. None such exists.

The defendants contend that in fact they have only done that which others have done both before and subsequent to the passage of the Sherman act. In other words, they make the extraordinary plea that their unlawful act should suffer no interference at the hands of the law because others have been guilty of the same violations of the law. No instance is cited in the list of supposed violations of the anti-trust law of 1890 where two corporations have transferred nearly all their capital stock to a third corporation created expressly for the purpose of insuring a perpetual unity of ownership. Such is the present case. Until it can be shown that a similar case exists upon which no executive action was taken the argument from temporaneous construction becomes wholly untenable. Even if such a case could be cited, the action or non-action of the officers, of the Government cannot nullify the will of Congress.

AS TO MONOPOLY.

The defendants further contend that, though the merger does restrict interstate commerce, it accomplishes vaster purposes in the development of traffic. This is the familiar argument of the beneficence of monopoly. It should be addressed to Congress and not to the Courts. The benefit to the people of this merger may be all that its master spirit, Mr. James J. Hill, claims it to be, but I apprehend that the people will continue to entertain their old-fashioned prejudice against monopoly and the arguments addressed to the courts will fall upon as deaf ears in this respect as when addressed to the legislatures and people of the States immediately affected.

PROTEST OF FIVE STATES.

If the merger is so beneficial, the emphatic protest of the executive officers of five States would seem to be unnecessary. However, these questions are all for the legislature and not the judicial branch of the Government. It is possible that the concentration of property interests, including railroad transportation is an economic tendency which is as irresistible as gravitation and that the law itself will be as impotent to stop it as to challenge by legislative enactment the procession of the stars. This, however, neither the officers of the law nor the courts charged with enforcing it can recognize.

AMERICAN PEOPLE.

The American people are both conservative and practical and when they recognize that monopoly is beneficient and competition is an evil they will repeal the existing laws and by positive legislation facilitate and legalize railway monopoly. Until that time, which is likely to be the Greek Kalends, the law should be fairly, fully and impartially enforced, for it is everlastingly true that the imperative need of this country both at the hands of capital and of labor is not more law but more obedience to law. However public spirited the purposes of the defendants in forming this merger may have been, and whatever its reluctant good or evil it is enough for present purposes to say that it clearly violates existing law whose provisions must be enforced unless Government by the people is to be a delusion.

At 12 o'clock while Assistant Attorney-General Beck was still delivering his arguments a recess was taken until 2 o'clock.

POLITICS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

DEMOCRATS WANT THE GOVERNOR TO VETO A BILL.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—The factions of the Democratic party in this city headed by O'Brien are exceedingly anxious that Governor Pardee will not allow Assembly bill No. 517 to become a law. Their interest in the matter has become so keen that they have called on Garrett McEnerney for assistance. The attorney will go to the capitol tomorrow and use his influence to have the bill vetoed.

A majority of the Democrats as well as Republicans voted for the bill. Attorney McEnerney may have considerable trouble in convincing the Governor of the strength of his arguments as to why the measure should not become a law. In case the Chief Executive should question the constitutionality of the bill, he can have recourse to the attorney-general for an opinion. The time limit for signing all bills is midnight of Thursday, March 26.

Governor Pardee will not want for good men to make up the Bank Commission as there is an ample supply of candidates. It is reported that Guy Barham of Los Angeles and J. B. Wright of Sacramento are to be on the new board. Both served on the old commission. That leaves still two more commissioners to be appointed and prominent among the applicants are J. Cal. Ewing of Oakland, J. E. Farnum of Haywards, N. Blackstock of Ventura and A. G. Plant of this city. Mr. Farnum served a term as bank commissioner a number of years ago and is now a banker in Haywards. Mr. Blackstock was, until recently, a railroad commissioner.

An organization has been formed and named the United Republican League. They have engaged headquarters at 16 Geary street and have organized for the purpose of cementing the different factions together and giving the people in the different districts an opportunity to exert their influence in party affairs. The league will be free from outside dictation or control. The following officers were elected:

President, A. P. Williams, ex-United States Senator; vice-presidents, W. F. McNutt, David Rich, Thomas H. Westoby, Henry J. Crocker; treasurer, John C. Lynch; secretary, J. Steppacher; assistant secretary, George P. Adams; organization committee, T. D. Riordan, A. Ruef, John C. Lynch, Henry Ach, Dr. W. F. McNutt, David Rich.

The first meeting of the new league will take place Saturday evening, March 21 to which all Republicans are invited.

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We showed him a superb assortment of Hazelton, Kimball and Decker pianos, and showed him, too, where these instruments had been sold heretofore, by dealers who had formerly held the agency for them, at not only $500, but for $600 and even $650. Of course, small dealers sell but four or five pianos a month, and their entire expense of running a store must be met out of the profits on these few piano sales. Against this, where a store sells 100 or 200 pianos, as Pommer-Eilers does each month, a profit of but a very few dollars on each piano will suffice to meet running expenses. It is the old, old principle of "quick sales and small profits."

And as to our pianos, we showed him in a few moments that he must not expect to hear of the good qualities of our pianos from dealers who have instruments of their own to sell. We showed him conclusively that we are selling good pianos, and we convinced him that we are selling good pianos for less than they have ever been sold heretofore, and for less money than others can afford to take.

This fact we have demonstrated to nearly three thousand prudent homeowners of this State alone, who have bought pianos of us during the past fourteen months, and the gentleman whose conversation we repeat above was no exception to the rule. He has today as fine a piano as ever has been made, in a beautiful mahogany case, an instrument sweet in tone and one that will last more than a lifetime. And instead of having to pay $500 or $600 for it, he secured it for less than $400.

SOME $450 BEAUTIES FOR $296

We have still on hand a large number of very fine highest grade regular $450 pianos in fancy mahogany, oak or mottled walnut cases, which we are now offering at $318 and $296, according to size of case and design.

Terms of payment on these are $26 down and $10 monthly.

FIFTEEN MORE AT $176

We have some fifteen beautiful brand new and fully warranted regular $275 cabinet grand uprights in assorted fancy wood cases, with all latest improvements, for $176 and $187.

Terms of payment, $16 down and $6 a month.

AND SOME OF THE VERY FINEST

In our store may be found the very choicest, specially selected, hand-carved, highest grade upright pianos in fancy mahogany, choice selected walnut, beautifully figured oak and other fancy cases; instruments such as cannot be secured elsewhere, even under present conditions, for less than $600 and $650.

Our terms of payment on these are $50 down and $15 a month, and our selling price will be found an average of $200 below what is asked for them elsewhere.

Every piano sold by Pommer-Eilers Music Co. is unconditionally warranted as to material, as to construction and also as to price. "Money back if not satisfactory" applies to every transaction, large or small, at any of our stores. Come in and select your piano this week. Remember the street number, 653 Market St., below "The Examiner" Building.

Other stores at Portland, Or.; Sacramento, Cal., and Spokane, Wash.

EXTRADITION PAPERS FOR WRIGHT.

LONDON, March 18.—The extradition papers in the case of Whitaker Wright, the director of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, who is under arrest in New York, were mailed on the steamer Celtic, which sailed from Liverpool today.

John Flower, chairman of the shareholders' committee which instigated Wright's prosecution, informed the Associated Press that by the advice of his lawyers, he declined to reply to Wright's cable message to G. S. Barnes, the official liquidator of the corporation, saying that Wright's enemies seek to create prejudice against him by circulating untruths, taking the ground that it would be highly improper for him to say anything which might prejudice the result of the trial.

As to the personals, he added, there was no need for a contradiction, as they were obviously untrue.

YOUNG PLUNKETT WAS DROWNED.

That Nathan P. Plunkett, who was raised in this city, was drowned in the tidal wave that covered the island of Puamotu in January of this year there is no longer any doubt. Mrs. J. C. Plunkett, mother of the missing man, to-day received a letter from United States Consul Doty at Papeete informing her of the fact that her son had been drowned. He left here about two years ago and had for several months prior to the time of his death been employed by a trading firm and had been stationed on the island of Puamotu, Plunkett was but 24 years of age, and was a son of the late J. C. Plunkett, who for a number of years was a member of the Board of Supervisors of this county.

NAVIGATION ON LAKE ERIE.

DETROIT, Mich., March 18.—Navigation on Lake Erie was opened today by the Detroit and Cleveland line steamer City of Detroit, which left for Cleveland.

R. W. Edwards

JEWELER

963 Broadway

Is again ready for business. He will be pleased to receive his old and new customers at the old stand. A few Clocks, Umbrellas and Opera Glasses at reduced prices.

...Spring Opening...

THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

March 19th, 20th and 21st

The Ladies of Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley and surrounding towns are cordially invited to attend our opening days of Spring Millinery on the days named, and see our beautiful line of imported hats and millinery novelties.

Miss C. F. KLEIN, Millinery

1165 Washington Street, near Fourteenth St.

Large Shipment of Shoes Received at the

Oakland Shoe House

Including a great variety of shoes for ladies, in turns and light welts with closer edges than last season's styles; also a large variety of Oxfords—all new styles and at the popular prices of $1.45 to $3.50.

Our stock of slippers is complete. We are offering fine kid and patent leather strap sandals, latest styles, at from $1.00 to $2.50 the pair—no such values quoted by any San Francisco house.

We are constantly enlarging our DELSARTE lines. It is well known that the "DELSARTE" shoe, made in Philadelphia, is the finest $3.50 shoe in the United States.

QUEEN QUALITY holds high rank in the $3.00 grades, and Fairchild's $3.00 welts and turns are equal to many of the $3.50 "advertised" shoes.

Our lines of $2.50 shoes are very complete and are excellent values.

For finer grades of ladies' shoes we offer Foster's and Laird, Schober & Co.

We are offering a line of Laird, Schober & Co.'s finest grade of light welt lace shoes with patent leather diamond tip, at $3.50 per pair—all sizes—strictly up-to-date.

CHILDREN'S SHOES

No shoe house on this coast displays a larger stock of shoes for children's wear.

We have recently received some large shipments, which make our stock complete in every particular, including ankle ties and strap sandals. The prices will attract the prudent purchaser of children's shoes.

Infants' Shoes at 25c, 45c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

Child's Shoes at 60c, 75c, 95c, $1.25 and $1.50.

Misses' Shoes at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 up to $3.00.

Children's, Youths' and Boys' kid and patent leather dancing pumps.

Boys', Youths' and Little Gents' department is prominent in our store.

We offer the several grades at popular prices.

MEN'S SHOE DEPARTMENT

The most complete of any in Oakland—from the finest patent leather, patent kid and vici kid "Full Dress" to the business shoe for men in all professions and conditions.

We desire to make our store as complete as possible in all that pertains to the footwear wants of the people in Alameda county.

See our display windows.

Oakland Shoe House

GEO. E. FAIRCHILD

1059-61 Washington Street

RESOLUTIONS FOR REV. P. C. YORKE.

RECTOR OF EAST OAKLAND CHURCH BELOVED BY IRISH PEOPLE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—At the St. Patrick's Day convention at Mechanic's Pavilion last night the following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, The concursus held in this city last week for the purpose of selecting a rector to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late lamented and scholarly pastor of St. Anthony's parish, East Oakland, Rev. William Gleeson, has resulted in the election and appointment of the Rev. Peter C. Yorke; and

"Whereas, Such election and appointment to the very responsible position of an irremovable rector of this archdiocese is a tribute to his great services to the church, to his conspicuous abilities as an advocate of civil and religious liberty and the rights of the toiling masses, as well as a recognition of his scholarly attainments, and of his own superb personality; and

"Whereas, The Rev. Father Yorke has, under the most trying and harrassing circumstances, devoted a great deal of his very valuable time to the cause of his native land, and never missed any opportunity afforded him of giving the benefit of his splendid intellect lovingly to every effort which had in view the uplifting of the Irish people and their ultimate independence; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the St. Patrick's Day convention of 1903, on behalf of the Irish people of San Francisco, tender to the Rev. Father Peter C. Yorke, our sincere and heartfelt congratulations on his elevation to the irremovable pastorate of St. Anthony's Oakland, and, while regretting his removal from this city, the theatre of so many triumphs, we nevertheless feel sure that no matter where in the providence of God duty may locate him, his heart will ever be with his own people and his great talents always at their disposal.

"Resolved, That we tender to our beloved friend, our own Sagart Aroon, the Rev. P. C. Yorke, a hearty godspeed, that we assure him our sympathy and love shall be with him in his new home, and we ardently hope and pray that his career so nobly begun in San Francisco shall not terminate until he shall have realized to the uttermost, his noble and unselfish ambitions.

"J. J. CANIFFE,
"T. F. BARRY,
"R. C. O'CONNOR,
"Committee on Resolutions."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. This signature E. W. Grove on every box, 25c.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Prices of current soon to be reduced. For estimates on wiring ring up James 2451.

Coast Electric Co., J. E. Morris, manager, 207 Telegraph avenue.

Oakland Paper Co's Specials for One Week

	Reg. Price.	Cut To
Heavy Matt Boards, 30x40	40c sheet	30c sheet
Regular Poster Boards, 30x40	15c sheet	10c sheet
Poster Boards, all colors, 22x28	10c sheet	6c sheet
Dennison's Plain Crape Paper, 10 ft. rolls	10c straight	3 for 25c
Decorated Crape Paper, 10 ft folds	25c fold	20c fold
Napkins, New 1903 Designs	40c per 100	30c a 100
Binding Papers, 12-yd. Rolls	10c straight	3 for 25c
Passe-Partout Outfits	$1.25 a set	$1.00 set
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THE LATEST NEWS

WOMAN TAKES HER LIFE.

Rented a Room and Placed Gas Tube in Her Mouth.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The body of a young woman was found in the room of a lodging house at 405 Geary street this morning.

A gas tube leading from a chandelier to the young woman's mouth showed that she had committed suicide.

The only article found on her person which would tend to lead to her identification was a small silver watch, upon which was engraved the initials "A. E. R."

The young woman applied at the house for a room last night and was assigned the room in which her body was found to-day.

STOCK IS ON THE INCREASE.

Southern Pacific Shares Make a Sensational Advance.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The directors of the Southern Pacific held a special meeting today. According to the reports current in the street, April 3 was fixed as the last day on which shares may be transferred before the annual meeting to be held on April 8, but the directors refuse to confirm or deny the reports.

Southern Pacific shares were the feature of the market today, making a sensational advance on very large transactions in the last hour.

A formal call has been issued by the management of the Southern Pacific for the annual meeting of the stockholders, which will be held on April 8.

Enclosed with the call were proxies in the names of E. H. Harriman, Alexander P. Humphrey and Maxwell Evarts.

FRANCE IS WELL PLEASED.

French Company Will Wait for Colombia to Ratify.

PARIS, March 18.—The announcement of the ratification of the Panama canal treaty by the United States Senate yesterday was received with satisfaction by the officials and others here who have long been interested in the project. In Government circles the Senate's action was considered to be an assurance that the United States will carry out the work begun under French auspices. Although the Government of France has no connection with the Panama Canal Company, the former has always taken a deep interest in the success of the late Count de Lesseps' project, owing to the great number of French investors in the canal company. A leading official said:

"If the Senate's action has occurred before M. Delcasse's speech on foreign affairs, he would have referred to America taking up the work begun by France."

It is understood that the French company will not make any definite plans for the future until the Congress of Colombia ratifies the treaty, when the procedure for distributing the proceeds of the sale of the property will be arranged.

On the Bourse today Panama 3 per cent, which closed at 46f. yesterday, advanced to 47 and 48f. These represent the bonds having a face value of 500f., which sold almost at par during the palmy days of Count de Lessep. They had been greatly depressed during recent years, but revived and have advanced steadily since the United States began the discussion of the treaty with Colombia.

TODAY'S RACES

EMERYVILLE RACE TRACK, March 18.—Weather clear; track slow. Summary:

FIRST RACE.

Dagmar, 5 to 1	1
Legal Maxim, 3 to 1	2
Mission, 10 to 1	3

Time, 1:30.

SECOND RACE.

Mildred Schultz, 3 to 1	1
Doublet, even	2
Hipponax, 6 to 1	3

Time 1:09½.

THIRD RACE.

Stunts, 3 to 1	1
Modicum, 5 to 2	2
J. H. Bennett, 10 to 1	3

Time, 1:23¼.

GIVE MONEY TO THE HOSPITAL.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Mrs. Ann Augusta Thomas, widow of General Samuel Thomas and her children, Edwin R. Thomas and Mrs. R. Livingston Beeckman, have given $50,000 to the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital to endow a ward of ten beds to be known as the Samuel Thomas Memorial Ward, in the proposed new building of the institution.

Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Beeckman have just received their portions of their father's estate and have voluntarily made a generous settlement on their brother, Harold E. Thomas, who was practically disinherited by the provisions of his father's will.

GIANT ELEPHANT IS DEAD

FED HIM ON WHISKY FOR THREE DAYS TO KEEP HIM QUIET.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Jingo, the giant elephant, died at sea.

For sixty hours preceding its death the mammoth beast trumpeted without ceasing and twice knocked down its keeper, Thomas Lawrence, who attempted to pacify it. The cries of the elephant aroused the leopards and tigers which were on the ship, and they, too, joined in the cry, which for three days kept the crew of the Georgic on its guard.

As each day passed Jingo seemed to grow weaker and he squirmed in his narrow cage in an effort to get out. He was securely chained in such a position in the abaft hatchway that escape was impossible.

On the fifth day out the animal's condition became such that Lawrence gave him whiskey and kept him under the influence of whiskey for almost three days. It was then that Jingo became even more savage than ever and began trumpeting. The entire crew went to Lawrence's assistance on the eleventh day and joined with him in an effort to pacify Jingo. All failed, however, and twice the beast got its trunk through the bars of the cage and struck the keeper with such force that he was thrown on the deck. The other animals joined in the great noise until about 9 o'clock on the morning of the 12th, when suddenly Jingo's cries ceased. Lawrence ran to the cage to find the animal dead. His carcass was examined, and after it was decided it could not be stuffed, it was thrown overboard.

E. C. ROBINSON RECOVERING.

E. C. Robinson, the well-known attorney, who has been dangerously ill for several weeks with pleuro-pneumonia and with complications arising from that disease, is now declared by his physicians to be entirely out of danger and on the road to complete recovery. During Mr. Robinson's enforced absence from his offices his legal business is being conducted by Harrison S. Robinson of the recently formed law firm of Robinson & Robinson.

WINS THE CUP.

DEL MONTE, Cal., March 18.—Roderick MacLeay of Portland, Oregon, has won the "Hotel Del Monte Cup" in the golf tournament, defeating the best players on the coast. MacLeay's playing throughout the tournament was consistent and of high order.

EIGHT PEOPLE INJURED.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 18.—The elevator at the Jefferson county courthouse here, fell five stories to-day and caused the injury of eight persons, two of whom are thought to be seriously hurt.

GOVERNOR PARDEE SIGNS THIRTY BILLS.

SACRAMENTO, March 18.—Governor Pardee to-day signed thirty of the bills left in his hands upon the adjournment of the late Legislature, as follows:

Committee substitute for Senate bill 392, amending section 383 of the Code of Civil Procedure by providing that where the same person is insured by two or more insurers separately in respect to the same subject and interest, such person or the payee under the policies, may join any or all such insurers in a single action for the recovery of a loss under the several policies.

A. B. 747, by Waste, amending section 1514 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the closing of estates of decedents when such estates escheat to the State.

A. B. 111, by Camp, adding a new section to the Code of Civil Procedure to be numbered 2025½, relating to the taking of depositions of non-resident witnesses.

A. B. 100, by McLaughlin, amending section 328 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the time for commencing actions for the recovery of real property.

A. B. 367, by John, appropriating $13,000 for a power and heating plant and the erection of shops at the California Polytechnic School at San Luis Obispo.

A. B. 158, by King, appropriating $10,000 for furnishing the hospital at the Veterans' Home, Yountville.

A. B. 174, by Dunlap, authorizing the employment of a stenographer to the clerk of the Supreme Court, at a salary of $1,000 a year.

A. B. 179, by John, appropriating $18,000 for the furnishing of buildings at the California Polytechnic School, San Luis Obispo.

A. B. 203, by Johnstone, authorizing the holding of a farmers' institute under the auspices of the regents of the State University and appropriating $13,000 for that purpose.

A. B. 360, by Johnstone, appropriating $6000 for drilling a well at the Whittier State School.

A. B. 159, by King, appropriating $10,000 for installing new engines, boilers and dynamos at the Veterans' Home at Yountville.

A. B. 140, by Greer, appropriating $15,000 for the purchase of an air compressor, fixtures and pipes for the air compressor at Folsom Prison.

A. B. 423, by McKenney, appropriating $3,500 for the purchase of bedding, furniture and carpets for the Preston School of Industry at Ione.

A. B. 186, by Carter, appropriating $15,000 for the purchase of additional furniture for the State Normal School at Los Angeles.

A. B. 538, by Dunlap, appropriating $1,200 for the care of the State Armory, cleaning and transportation of arms and traveling by contingent expendetures of the adjutant-general.

A. B. 369, by Barnes, making it a misdemeanor for any person to sell or give a minor under 18 years of age, any intoxicating liquors, and making it a misdemeanor for any person who conducts a saloon or public drinking place to permit minors under 18 years of age to visit such places.

A. B. 258 by Black, appropriating $5000 for the erection of water towers at Agnews State Hospital.

A. B. 434 by Johnson, renewing the Supreme Court Commission for two years and appointing a stenographer to the commission at a salary of $100 per month.

A. B. 357 by Johnstone, appropriating $12,000 for completing the construction of carpenter and blacksmith shops at the Whittier State School.

A. B. 563 by Dunbar, appropriating $4000 for a sewer system at the Home for Feeble-Minded Children, at Eldridge.

A. B. 562 by Dunbar, appropriating $9,500 for the purchase of laundry machinery, constructing lavatories and baths, etc., at the Home for Feeble-Minded Children.

A. B. 561 by Dunbar, appropriating $20,000 for the completion of additional buildings at the Home for Feeble-Minded.

A. B. 560 by Dunbar, appropriating $25,000 for an electric light and heating plant at the Home for Feeble-Minded Children.

A. B. 422 by McKenney, appropriating $500 for the purchase of books for the library at Preston School of Industry.

A. B. 864 by McKenney, amending the county government act, relating to salaries of officers of the thirty-fifth class.

A. B. 755 by Johnson, amending section 1747 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to minors and guardians.

A. B. 37 by Drew, constituting the Governor and State Superintendent of Public Instruction a commission, to be assisted by a third member, appointed by the State Board of Education, to select copyrights and plates for the State series of text books.

WEDNESDAY

Piano prices slaughtered

Out of three car-loads of Pianos we have less than one car-load left, which must absolutely be sold this week regardless of cost. Prices on some instruments cut in less than half. Payments can be arranged to suit purchasers.

Why pay for a plate-glass front and hot air, when you can save more than 40 to 50 per cent at this sale.

Every instrument is fully guaranteed with a guarantee as strong and reliable as any dealer can furnish. Besides, if you buy on monthly payments, you have the piano as hostage of our good faith. Your money cheerfully refunded if every Piano is not as represented.

Store open evenings. Remember, Saturday, March 21st, at 10 p. m., the sale will close.

The first comers get the choicest selection.

Your credit is good.

H. E. PETERSON

CONSIGNEE

918 7th Street, Market St. Station

NEW MOVE IN THE S. P. CASE.

WANT TO MAKE A CHANGE IN THE RESTRAINING ORDER.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 18.—An unexpected step was taken by the Southern Pacific Railway yesterday at Nashville, when attorneys for the corporation moved United States Circuit Judge Lurton for an amendment to the restraining order granted on March 13th so as to change Article 1 of the by-laws of the corporation striking out "In the city of New York," where they first occur, and inserting the words "At the offices of the company in Beechmont, Jefferson county."

The motion, if allowed, will have the effect of putting the litigation, as affecting the Southern Pacific road, wholly within the jurisdiction of the United States Court for the Western district of Kentucky. The motion will be heard by Judge Lurton at Nashville next Saturday

PROPERTY TO BE DEEDED TO CITY.

City Treasurer Felton Taylor is soon to file deeds in favor of the city to all that property upon which no taxes has been paid for the last five years. There are seventeen pieces of property in all that will go to the city unless the owners come forward and pay the taxes and interest on their section.

The sale number, name of owner, description and amount due upon the property to be deeded is as follows:

No. 55, Kimball G. Easton, resub blk 450, lot 2, block 450, $7 62; No. 110, Geo. H. Pitts, Adeline street property, lot 16, block A-611, $4.66; No. 121, Mrs. Rose Pierce, in Adeline street lots, lot 41, block 631, $4.16; No. 161, J. V. Webster, four-ninths interest in portion block 742, $5.32; No. 162, J. V. Webster, four-ninths interest in portion block 745, $6.38; No. 218, Pacific Iron and Nail Company, 3.86 acres, $59.12; No. 220, Wells Whitmore and E. K. Alsip, railroad franchise, $60.34; No. 267, Annie L. Cameron, one-half, A. D. Cameron, one-fourth, E. C. Rodgers, one-fourth, in San Antonio, portion block 32, $2.65; No. 268 G. E. Bowles, in San Antonio, portion block 32, $4.85; No. 283, Ruby W. Davis, in Northern Addition, northwest one-half lots 44-45, block 69, $5.62; No. 288, August Collier, in Northern Addition, northwest one-half lots 44-43, block 69, $5.65; No. 351, W. Smith, in Capital Homestead, lot 18, $4.11; No. 354, J. Kennedy, in Capital Homestead, lot 63, $5.62; No. 360, unknown owners, in Capital Homestead, triangular piece of land, bounded north by Peralta avenue, east by Watson avenue, west by Terminus street, $2.65; No. 404, H. E. Hebard, Sunny Slope tract, lots 9-19, 20, 21, block C, $3.20; No. 409, M and D McEeachon, in Oakland Prospect Homestead, lot 23, $3.94; No. 412, T. Conly, in Oakland Prospect Homestead, lot 43, $3.92.

SCHMITZ GOES TO SACRAMENTO

HAS A SECRET CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT OF CARMEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Mayor Schmitz will go to Sacramento this afternoon to confer with Governor Pardee regarding legislation affecting the interests of San Francisco.

Before his departure for the capital, Mayor Schmitz held a lengthy conference with President Cornelius of the Street Carmen's Union.

The gentlemen refused to discuss for publication on the character of the matter under discussion, but it is understood that Cornelius endeavored to learn the Mayor's exact position regarding the threatened strike of the car men.

WILL GIVE A FLORAL SHOW.

LOS ANGELES, March 18.—Following the announcement from Washington of President Roosevelt's itinerary for his western trip the committee in charge of the preparations for Los Angeles annual Fiesta De Las Flores, today determined the dates for the carnival to correspond with the President's visit to this city. The fiesta will be celebrated for four nights, May 6 to May 9, inclusive. On the afternoon of President Roosevelt's arrival here, will occur the magnificent floral parade which in past years has made the fiesta noteworthy, and in the evening a unique electric parade will be given in the President's honor.

STREET CAR STRIKE MAY SOON BE ORDERED.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The Post says:

The most reliable information that could be obtained at noon to-day regarding the differences existing between the United Railroads and the Street Carmen's Union, was to the effect that a strike on the systems of the company is inevitable. That the corporation will not grant the demands of the Union is seemingly an absolute certainty.

According to the present program of future negotiations between Manager Chapman and the committee representing the union, the committee will hold its next conference with Manager Chapman tomorrow morning.

At this conference the union's representatives will receive Manager Chapman's answer to the demands of the carmen for the reinstatement of the suspended employes and the adoption by the company of the new wage scale approved by the union. Every indication points that the response of the corporation will be unfavorable to the street car men and the officials of the union and the company are making arrangements to be prepared for the subsequent developments

As the union has delegated to its executive board the power to order a strike if deemed expedient, an unfavorable answer from Manager Chapman tomorrow will, from all indications, be acted upon by the board tomorrow evening and a strike declared.

The union has made arrangements to notify the men of a possible strike by arranging to have the members of the executive board go to the car barns of the company after the meeting and issue the strike order personally to the employes.

HIS DEATH IS A MYSTERY

CORONER OF SAN FRANCISCO WILL MAKE INVESTIGATION.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Coroner Leland has decided to hold an inquest Saturday next on the remains of Daniel B. Kearney, the electrical salesman whose body was found in the bay one day last week. Whether the inquiry will reveal the manner by which he met his death is an open question.

The death of Kearney is involved in deep mystery. There is a theory that he met with foul play but while later developments seem to point to that theory as being correct, there is little tangible evidence to support it. None of his friends, however, will entertain for a moment the idea that Kearney committed suicide.

AN EARTHQUAKE AT SEA

PASSENGERS ON BOARD THE NEWPORT HAVE AN EXPERIENCE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The steamer Newport, which arrived today from Panama and way ports, was severely shaken by an earthquake while at sea. So pronounced was the shock that most of the passengers and many of the crew believed that the steamer had run on a reef. It was shortly after 3 o'clock on the morning of March 11th, and the vessel was about eighteen miles off the coast from Corinto when the shock was felt. Several of the passengers, aroused from their sleep by the force of the quake, rushed on deck in their night clothes and it was some time before they could be assured that there was no danger.

AGED COLORED BLACKSMITH DIED WITHOUT A PHYSICIAN.

Samuel Wiggens, a colored blacksmith, living at 516½ Willow street, died shortly before midnight last night, and as he had not been attended by a physician during his sickness, the body was taken in charge by the Coroner. Deceased was a native of South Carolina, aged 67 years, and leaves a widow. He has lived in this city about two months, having previously resided in San Francisco.

HENRY R. TAYLOR DIES AT HIS HOME.

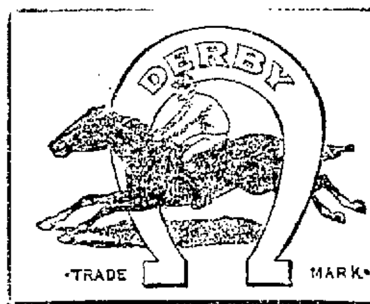
Henry R. Taylor, a well-known manufacturer of mining machinery, with a place of business in San Francisco, died yesterday at his residence in this city, 510 Hobart street. He had lived here about twenty-four years and leaves a widow and one son. Deceased was 66 years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the family residence and the remains will be interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

WHITAKER WRIGHT ILL.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Whitaker Wright, the London promoter, who was arrested in connection with the alleged swindling of English capitalists out of many millions, to-day was reported ill in bed at the Ludlow street jail, where he is a prisoner. His case was to have had a hearing this afternoon, but the jail physicians telephoned to United States Marshal Henkel that Wright was too ill to appear in court. He is said to be suffering from insomnia.

PRESENT FROM KING.

LONDON, March 18.—King Edward has sent Colonel Cody, (Buffalo Bill) a handsome scarfpin with the royal cipher in diamonds, surmounted by the crown as a souvenir of his visit last Saturday to the Wild West show.



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IN HONOR OF MISS MOORE.

DR. AND MRS. J. R. MILTON GIVE A PLEASANT DINNER AT THEIR HOME.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Milton gave a most delightful little dinner last night at their residence, 1215 San Pablo avenue, to which a number of their friends were invited to bid farewell to Miss Louise Adams Moore, superintendent of the East Bay Sanitarium who leaves in a few days for the East.

Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Ewer, G. Owen, Miss M. Milton, Mrs. Keane and Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Krone.

The hostess happily selected green as the color decoration in honor of March 17th. Red tulips were also used to an advantage.

Each guest was presented with a suitable gift in remembrance of the occasion. Attached to each gift was a card upon which was written a witty little speech adapted to the recipient.

Miss Moore will, in a few days, leave for an extended trip through the Eastern States, partly to obtain a much-needed rest and partly to visit the large hospitals and observe their methods.

While away Miss Moore will visit her brother, Dr. B. W. Baker, president of College Cameron and her sister, Miss J. Florence Moore, superintendent of nurses at St. Joseph, Mo.

Miss Moore will visit the hospitals at Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore.

While in charge of the East Bay Sanitarium, Miss Moore has proved herself an able director and a kind nurse to the sick and her temporary absence will be deeply felt by her friends and those with whom she comes in contact.

FIRE DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

RESIGNATIONS ACCEPTED BY THE COMMISSIONERS, WHO FILL VACANCIES.

The resignation of William J. Baccus, foreman of Engine Company No. 2 and Councilman-elect, was presented at a meeting of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners this morning and was accepted. William Hartman, present foreman of Engine Company No. 1, was transferred to the position left vacant by Foreman Baccus, and Samuel Short, extraman in Engine Company No. 1, was promoted to the position left vacant by Forman Hartman.

C. W. Cook, extraman in Engine Company No. 5, was transferred to Engine Company No. 1, and John H. Hallanan was appointed extraman in Engine Company No. 5.

E. Belrose, a sub-driver in the Fire Department, handed in his resignation to take effect April 1, and Albert J. Le Fort, extraman in Engine Company No. 1, will be given the position thus made vacant.

Gardiner B. Morgan was appointed extraman in Engine Company No. 1.

TRAIN RUNS INTO A DITCH.

GUELPH, Ont., March 18.—Grand Trunk passenger train No. 175 going north ran off the track into the ditch between here and Elora to-day.

It is reported that a number of passengers were injured but none fatally.

STOCK MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The following quotations up to noon today are given by Bolton, de Ruyter & Co. of 490 California street:

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bay Counties Pow Co. 5%	.....	107
Cal Cen G & Elec Co. 5%	106	.....
C C Wat Co. 5%	104	104½
Haw Com & Sug. 5%	98¾	100
Hon R T & L Co. 6%	119⅞	120½
North Shore RR. 5%	102⅛	103
Omnibus Cab Ry. 6%	127½	.....
Sac Elec Gas & Ry. 5%	104	105
Sierra Ry of Cal. 6%	112	.....
S P R of Cal. 6%, 1912	119¾	120
Spring V Wat. 6%	107¼	.....
Spring V Wat. 2 mtg. 4%	101½	101½
Spring V Wat. 3 mtg. 4%	.....	102
Los Angeles Elec	104	107
Pacific Elec Ry	113	115

WATER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Contra Costa	62¼	63
Spring Valley	86¼	86½

STREET RAILROAD STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Presidio	42½	45

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-Cal Bk ($50 pd)	98	100
Bank of Cal	499	.....

POWDER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Giant	67	70

SUGAR STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Hana Plant Co	4	4½
Honokaa Sug Co	.....	15
Hutchinson Sug Plant Co	16½	17
Kilauea S P Co	7	.....
Makaweli Sug Co	27	28
Onomea Sug Co	21	22½
Paauhau S P Co	18	19

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cen Light & Pow Co	3¾	4⅛
Equit Gas Light Co	4⅛	4½
Mut Elec Light Co	.....	8¾
Pac Gas Imp Co	38¼	.....
Pac Lighting Co	57	59
Sac Elc, Gas & Ry Co	30	.....
S F Gas & Elec Co	56¾	57

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alaska P Assn	150½	152
Cal Fruit Can Assn	92	.....
Oceanic Steamship Co	13	16

SALES.

4000 S P of Ariz. 1909	110½
50 Lon, Paris & Amer	166
1000 Hawaiian Com. 5%	99
15 Makaweli	27½
5 Kilauea	7¼
10 Pacific Gas	38¾
1000 S P of Cal. 1912	119¾
40 Gas & Electric	56¾

PRESIDENT WILL COME HERE.

WILL ARRIVE IN CALIFORNIA ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF MAY.

Senator George C. Perkins has replied to a telegram sent him by the Oakland Board of Trade, asking him as a member of the Board of Trade to present an invitation to President Roosevelt to visit Oakland on his forthcoming trip to the coast. This telegram was in addition to the letter of invitation sent by the Board of Trade to the President. The telegram received from Senator Perkins was as follows:

"Sol Kahn, president Oakland Board of Trade: The President will be in San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley from 2 p. m., May 12th, to midnight May 14th. Please consult with M. H. de Young, chairman of the Committee of Arrangements. Have presented your dispatch to the President's secretary and have asked him to reply.

"(Signed)

"GEORGE C. PERKINS."

Congressman Metcalf is working hard with the Board of Trade in its efforts to have President Roosevelt visit Oakland and it is pretty well understood that President Roosevelt will spend one forenoon in Oakland and the afternoon in Berkeley. The secretary of the Oakland Board of Trade is this afternoon in San Francisco to arrange, if possible, details with Chairman de Young of the Committee of Arrangements.

City Clerk Rod W. Church this afternoon received a telegram from Senator George C. Perkins as stating that President Roosevelt would visit Oakland.

HAMILTON FISH NAMED.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The President today sent to the Senate the nomination of Hamilton Fish of New York to be Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York.

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DIED.

SEBREY—In this city, March 16, 1903, John M. Sebrey, beloved husband of Rose and father of Bert, Frank, Mable and Ethel Sebrey, and son of Frank and Mary and brother of F. J., Martin and Joseph Sebrey, a native of San Francisco, aged 34 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Sunday, at 2 p. m., from the parlors of James McManus, Seventh and Castro streets, under the auspices of Sons of Veterans.

WEISHEIMER—In Vallejo, March 17, 1903, Ella, beloved wife of John Weisheimer, formerly of this city, a native of Illinois, aged 46 years and 9 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services tomorrow, Thursday, March 19, 1903, at the residence of James Taylor, 1211 Clay street, this city.

LEARN—In this city, March 17, 1903, Dr. R. B. Learn, beloved husband of E. A. Learn and father of Mrs. T. D. Newsom, Mrs. W. S. Smith and Charles L. Learn, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 63 years.

PLUNKETT—In the tidal wave at Hikueru, Paumotu Isles, of the South Sea, January 14, 1903, Nathan Porter Plunkett, beloved son of Ellen and the late J. C. Plunkett, and brother of Mrs. R. B. Williams, James A. and William R. Plunkett, a native of Oakland, aged 24 years.

OSGOOD—In this city, March 16, 1903, at 1503 Telegraph avenue, Silas Richard, beloved husband of Adaline R., and father of Ernest J. Osgood, a native of Biddeford, Maine, aged 75 years, 1 month and 15 days. A member of Lyon Post, G. A. R., and the Society of California Pioneers.

TAYLOR—In this city, March 17, 1903, Henry R., beloved husband of Adeline A. Taylor and father of Robert A. Taylor, a native of Connecticut, aged 65 years, 10 months and 16 days.

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COCK FIGHT RAIDED BY HUMANE SOCIETY.

Nineteen Men Taken Into Custody and Will Be Tried for Cruelty to Animals.

Officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, under Secretary Fred Johns, raided a game cock main on Fitch street, near Fitchburg, last evening, and, as a result, nineteen sports, who had assembled to witness the fights, are now in custody.

It had been planned by the sports to bring the main off in a lonely barn on Fitch street, and every precaution was taken to prevent a raid. Every exit and entrance to the barn was guarded and, as an extra precaution, a wire, attached to a jangling can within, was stretched around the building.

During the afternoon it was whispered about town that there would be a cock-fight and news of it reached Secretary Johns and the Sheriff's office. A raid was therefore decided upon. At 8:30 o'clock Johns, accompanied by Herbert Johns, Dr. T. Carpenter, Bert Marshall, George Faw and Constable Harry Cramer of East Oakland, quietly went to the barn and lay in wait for the offenders, who soon began to arrive. Within a short time about thirty had gathered, and Johns ordered the raid. Had he waited a few minutes longer, several prominent citizens of Oakland and Alameda would have been taken into custody, as they arrived soon after the raid.

When the sports realized that the officers were upon them, a majority of them made a dash for liberty, but only a few escaped. Nineteen were taken into custody, but several were allowed to depart, as there were not enough handcuffs to go around. Those who were taken were handcuffed together in pairs and all that could get aboard were brought on an electric car to the County Jail. The others were forced to walk.

The prisoners are:

William Ward, race horse owner.
William Morton, race horse owner.
Daniel Stone, race horse trainer.
J. Stewart, ice manufacturer of Kansas City.
Harry Stover.
P. Gallagher.
F. Verdon.
T. C. Hutchinson.
W. M. Martin.
P. Hewitt, jockey.
W. T. McKinney.
S. W. Freeman.
C. S. Buxton.
T. Burke.
Fred Smith.
Johnnie French.
Charles Earl.
William Ferguson.
J. Adams.

Most of the prisoners are connected with the race track, and eight of them were released on $10 bail each, which was furnished by Patsy Lynch, the horseman.

Thomas R. Hart, formerly a resident of Alameda, and A. Hart, his son, were seen in the barn but escaped, and Johns will swear to warrants for their arrest.

Secretary Johns is positive that every man arrested will be convicted, and makes this assertion because the law on the subject is so plain.

Section 9 of an act for the more effectual prevention of cruelty to animals, in effect since March 20, 1874, reads:

"Whoever owns, possesses, keeps or trains any bird or animal with the intent that such bird or animal shall be engaged in an exhibition of fighting, or is present at any place, building or tenement where preparations are being made for an exhibition of the fighting of birds or animals with the intent to be present at such exhibition, or is present at such exhibition, shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor."

"It was the most flagrant violation of the law that I have ever heard about," said Secretary Johns. "For several days the affair has been noised about the streets. If we had arrived an hour later we would have caught some of the prominent men of Oakland. We will convict all the men, I think, and the raid will no doubt put a stop to the sport for some time to come."

Dr. T. Carpenter, veterinarian of the Oakland Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and one of the leaders of the raid, said:

"This is the most successful raid I have ever participated in. We caught the whole crowd with the evidence and I can see no reason why we should not convict every one of them. Had we waited an hour later we would have been able to arrest a larger number, but the conviction of those we arrested will be sufficient to prevent another attempt to hold another affair of this kind in Alameda county."

Joseph T. Chatel, proprietor of the saloon at the corner of San Leandro and Walter avenue and one of the promoters of the cock fight, makes the following statement:

"We had planned this event with the utmost secrecy and are at a loss to know how the officers got wind of it. Had the light at the corner where the road turns off to the barn been burning as it should have been, the officers would have been recognized and prevented from reaching the place. I had just left the barn in company with a friend when the officers swooped down on it, and I consider myself exceedingly lucky in escaping the wholesale arrest that followed the raid."

The first main had not been started when the raid was made, but two dozen game cocks, with spurs, gaffs, scales and other paraphernalia was taken as evidence.

The cases came up this morning in Justice of the Peace Geary's court in East Oakland, but went over till tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, to allow the filing of complaints.

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DEEDS.

Dec 26, 02—Minnie E Reiley (single) to Wm T Morton, Oakland, N 11th 75 W Webster W 25 x N 50, being S 50 ft of lot 23, blk 160, Kellersbergers Map (recorded March 16, 03), $10.

March 9, 03—Abram and Carrie S Silverstine to Lim Ben, Oakland, S 6th 100 W Broadway W 50 x S 100, lots 12 and 13, blk 54, same Map(recorded March 16, 03), $10.

June 19, 00—Geo H Mendell to Ellen Mendell, Berkeley, NE Derby and Ellsworth E 177-6 x N 269, lots 13 to 20, blk D, Map Leonard tract (recorded March 16, 03), gift.

Feb 24, 03—Geo and Hannah Barkley to I D Wood, Oakland, S 34th 241 W Market W 37-6 x S 100, ptn lots 9 and 10, blk B, Map ppty Central Land Co, $10.

March 12, 03—E J and Lydia F Shepardson to John H Anderson, Oakland, N Laurel or 25th 417-1 E Telegraph av (prior to widening) E 50 x N 118-4, lot 12, Map Lincoln Hd, $10.

March 16, 03—John Howard Smith to Duncan McDuffie, Berkeley, 2.89 acres beg at NW cor plot 76, th along E bdy ln of V Peralta Reservation SW 339.15 to S Webster (Tyler) st E 496.71 S 301.85 to N bdry plot 76 W 339.86, ptn plot 75, Kellersbergers Map Ros V and D Peralta, $4,500.

March 9, 03—Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank to Geo H Vose Jr, Berkeley, W Shattuck av 50-1 S Ashby av S 60-1 W 106-2 N 50 E 109-2, lot 2, blk L, Map A, ptn Newbury tract in plot 51, Peralta Ro, $10.

March 10, 03—Geo H Vose Jr to M S Dewing, Berkeley, same, $10.

March 5, 03—August J and Mae C Fromm to Chas Moro, Alameda, N Haight av 240 W 5th W 36-6 x N 136, blk B, Fromm tract, $10.

March 14, 03—Thos E and Lelia S Russell to Annie Lopez (widow), Eden Tp, lots 4 to 6, blk L, Map Knox tract pptles of Milo and Wm Knox adj to Town of Haywards, $10.

Feb 24, 03—Arthur B Petersen to Leander Linekin, Eden Tp, lots 18 and 19, blk C, Map Anspacher tract, a resub of ptn Hayward tract, $10.

March 12, 03—Same to Sarah E Hoyt, Eden Tp, lots 20 and 21, blk C, same Map, $10.

Sept 6, 02—S F and Ellen Sinclair to C Nolan, Murray Tp, 160 acres SE ¼ of Sec 4, Tp 2, SR 3 E, QCD, $30.

March 16, 03—John and Cathe Nolan (widow) to Wm Bock, Murray Tp, same, $10.

Jan 2, 02—Mark Sheldon to Geo H Barrett, Murray Tp, lot 1, blk 23, Map Northern Addn to Livermore, $10.

March 5, 03—Cal & Nevada R R Co, C K King and as receiver, Mary E and Geo D Roberts by E H Heacock, Master in Chancery and comr, to M A De Laveaga, the ln of railroad known as California and Nevada Railroad as constructed fm city of Oakland, California, to State in of Nevada at or near the town of Bodie, California, a distance of about 250 miles, together with all real estate of sd company wherever same may be situated; also all rights of way, rails, bridges, tracks, rolling stock, franchises and all ppty both real and personal of sd company bet sd lns, $60,000.

March 7, 03—M A De Laveaga to Oakd & East Side Railroad Co, same, $10.

March 16, 03—Wm H and Elizabeth D Simmons to Franklin Simmons, all int of 1st parties in real ppty described in deed from 2d pty herein to his brother, Wm Henry Simmons, Feb 6, 03, 880 d 34, sub to 656 m 354, gift.

March 14, 03—Annie M and D W Milne to John Garcia, Oakland, NE "B" and Ettie sts E 33 x N 100, lot J, blk 797, Map of "B" Street Subdivision of Watts tract, $5.

Dec 21, 01—Katie L and G L Fitz, and as atty, to Bertha L Anderson, Oakland, Re-record 797 d 465, lot 12, blk 2, Map San Pablo Avenue Villa Tract, $5.

March 17, 03—Wm and Hannah G Reed to C H Keghley, Oakland, NE 18th and Filbert N 115 x E 50, lot 5, blk 614, Subdivision Map Alfred Barstow tract, $10.

March 16, 03—Isabella and E O George to Robt Quinn, Oakland, N 32d 331.96 W Grove W 37-6 x N 71.35, $10.

March 17, 03—Christian W and Minnie Weinberg to John Cleave, Oakland, N Sycamore 950 W Telegraph av (as on May 7, 69), W 44 x N 126-4, $10.

March 12, 03—Wm O Badgley to Carrie W Badgley, Oakland, beg at point on W line of proposed extension of Lee st, sd point being most E cor land described in 807 d 247, th SW 256, th on curve to right 350 ft radius chord of which bears SE 49 NE 150 to sd W line of said extension of Lee st, th along sd street on ln on curve to left 500 ft radius chord of which bears NW 70 ft to beg, ptn plot 21 V and D Peralta Ranch, gift.

March 11, 03—Virginia R and Wm J Dingee, and as atty, to L J Westlake, Oakland, SW Market and 36th S 146.17 W 89 N 146.17 E 73.14, blk N, Map Property Central Land Co, etc, Oakland, all int in strip 10 ft wide adjoining above ppty on N and bounded on E by W line of Market, S by lands above described, W by W bdry ppty Central Land Co and N by S line 36th as it now exists, $10.

Feb 24, 03—A E Holman & W H Cornell to P J & Mary E Keller, Oakland—All int acquired under 806 d 401 SW Rose av 190 SE Piedmont av SE 50 x SW 100 lot 6, map Keller's Rose Park; QCD $10.

Mar 18, 03—M & Mary D Bartlett to B S Harris, Oakland—Lots 15 and 16 blk X, map Paradise Park; $10.

July 30, 02—Margt Dowd or Doud wf Henry to Gertrude E Sloan (single), Oakland—Lot 25 map Piedmont Villa tract, being part plot 19 of Kellersberger's sub of V & D Peralta Rcho, sub to deed of trust $150; $1.

Mar 17, 03—Hulda E Cahling to Tom Howard, Oakland—W Hollis 200 S "B" S 50 x W 133, being subs C and D in lot 9 blk 791 map No 2 Watts tract; $10.

Feb 26, 03—Mary A Kennedy (single) to Mary D Sessions wf E C, E Oak—NE E-26th 115 SE 18th av SE 12-6 x NE 140, being SE 12-6 of lots 50 to 54 blk 89, map lots in Brooklyn; $10.

Mar 17, 03—Anita & J T Hollenbeck to A C Van House, E Oak—NE E-21st 318-9½ SE 23d av SE 50 x NE 150 blk G, map sub of 50 Associate tract; $10.

Mar 13, 03—Mary E Barfoot or Barfoote wf W J to John E Coburn, Okd Tp—E San Pablo av 202.44 N 41st N 30 x E 167.37, being N 30 ft of lot 11 map H C Dohr's Hmstd; $10.

Feb 16, 03—Berry Bangs Land Co (cptn) to Louisa P Fife, Berkeley—W Regent (Manoa av) 60 S Ward S 50 x W 140 lot 2 blk E, map Berry-Bangs tract, etc; $10.

Feb 24, 03—T S Elston (single) to same, Berkeley—SW Regent and Ward sts S 60 x W 140 lot 1 blk E, same map; $10.

Feb 5, 03—John & Ada M Hinkel to Walter Sorenson, Berkeley—W Harper 160 N Ashby av N 40 x W 122.33 blk 9, Amended map and Resub of Central Park; $10.

Mar 16, 03—F F & Margt Gregory (Dougery) to John Wipfli, Berkeley—S Channing W 300 W Fulton W 50 x S 135, ptn lot 7 blk 3 map ppty College Hmstd Assn; $100.

Mar 13, 03—J A & Emily V Marshall to Tena G Hills, Berkeley—W Grove 50 N Bancroft Way N 50 W 131.16 S 50 E 131.46 lot 12 blk 12, map Marshall's sub of blk 12 McGee tract; $10.

Mar 2, 03—Elith & Jas Kidd to Juanita B Alarcon, Berkeley—S Berkeley way 100 W McGee W 48-4 S 124-8 E 39-8 N 125 ptn lot 22 in Range 9, map of subs 9 and 10, Hardy tract; $10.

Mar 13, 03—J A & Emily V Marshall to Augusta E Hunrick, Berkeley—W Grove 100 S Allston way W par with Allston way 100 for point of beg th W 28.79 N 50 E 28.50 S 50 ptn lot 2 blk 12, map Marshall's sub of blk 12 12 McGee tract; $10.

Feb 13, 03—Wm A Ryan by H G Walker atty & Wm A Ryan to Flora M Thomas (widow), Berkeley—W Oxford 121.1 S Cedar S 50 x W 136.5 lot 15 blk D, Plat Percy tract; $10.

Feb 4, 03—Albert Naylor to Mary F Naylor (wf), Berkeley—N Dwight way 200 E Fulton E 50 x N 135 ptn lot 2 blk 4, map ppty College Hmstd Assn; $1.

Mar 14, 03—Frank M & Mary C Gilcrest to A L Sobey (single) Berkeley—NW Cedar and Spring N 110.01 E 50 S 114 m or l to N Cedar, S 50 to beg, being 1 50 ft of lots 1 and 2 blk 2, map ppty Berkeley View Hmstd Assn; $100.

Oct 17, 99—Alex E or Alexr B Chapple to Thos Y & Geo S Tallman, Berkeley—W College av 40 S Parker st W 159.44 x S 40, being S ½ of lots 1 and 2, map Hillegrass property, and being S ½ property described in 623 d 207, made by Ella G Fryal; deed in partition.

Oct 17, 99—Thos Y & Geo S Tallman to Alexr B Chapple, Berkeley SW College av and Parker st W 159.44 x S 40, being N ½ of lots 1 and 3, same map, same; deed in partition.

Mar 6, 03—Cosmos Land & Water Co to Florence Leheney wf John F, Alameda—N Eagle av 122-6 E Bay st E 27-6 x N 126, being E 2-6 of lot 5 and all lot 6 blk D, map Paige street; $10.

May 1, 00—Deborah De Lamater (widow), Edgar A De Lamater (son), Oakland—S 33d 520-6½ E Grove E 21.46 to SW line land deed in 493 d 142, SE to E line lot 14, S to S line sd lot 14 W 40 N 170 ptn lot 14, map Collins tract; gift.

Mar 11, 03—Henry H Worley to Amelia D & Sarah A Worley (wife and daughter), Eden Tp—14 acres beg at point in continuation of SW line of Watkins st as it runs through San Leandro, 60 SE from most E line of one Coyell's 50-acre tract, th along SW Watkins SE 15.42 chs th 62 degrees W 9.07¾ chs NW 15.42 chs NE 9.07¾ chs to beg, ptn Rcho San Leandro; gift.

Dec 8, 02—H E C & Emily L Feusier to Hugh Hogan, Murray Tp—Lot 5 blk E in sub A, map of sub A of Thermal Rcho at Sunol; $10.

MORTGAGES.

March 16, 03—Duncan McDuffie to University Savings Bank, Berkeley, as in deed from John Howard Smith, 2 years, 8 per cent, $2,600.

March 13, 03—Anna Massonabe to Same, Berkeley, NW Berkeley way and Milvia W 45 x N 136.39, lot 12, blk 3, Map Subs of ptn plot 79 as per Kellersbergers Map, etc, 1 year, 8 per cent, $2,500.

March 16, 03—Lim Ben to Abram Silverstine, Oakland, as in deed bet same parties (recorded March 16, 03), $3,000.

Oct 6, 02—Clement C Perkins to E F and John C Adams and Julia P A Prather, Oakland, beg at point on line dvdg plots 20 and 21 distant SW 605.67 from SW Lee st as per map Sub No 1 of Adams Point ppty, th along sd plot ln SW 50 x SE 135 ptn aforesaid plot 21, Map Ros V and D Peralta, 3 years, 8 per cent, $3,750.

March 16, 03—John Henry Nedderman to Angeline Peck, E Oakland, W cor Central av or E-12th and 9th av SW 93-6 NW 110 SW 56-6 NW 30 NE 150 SW 140, ptns lots 13 to 18, blk 34, Clinton; E Oakland, N E-10th 90 E 9th av E 50 x N 125, 1 year, 2 per cent per month, $200.

March 16, 03—John Wipfli (single) to Berkeley Bank of Savings, Berkeley, as in deed from Margaret Gregory and husband, 2 years, $800.

March 13, 03—Augusta E and Geo Hunrick to Same, Berkeley, SW Allston way and Grove (as lines of sd street now exist since widening of Grove), th along sd line Allston way W 128.21 S 100 E 28.79 N 50 E to W Grove N 50 to beg, lot 1 and ptn lot 2, blk 2, Map McGee tract, 2 years, $1,800.

March 13, 03—Tena G Hills (widow) to Same, Berkeley, lot 1, blk 12, Map Resub of Blk 12 of McGee tract, 2 years, $2,300.

March 17, 03—Knud Nelisen (single) to Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland, S Sherman av 425 E Telegraph av E 35 S 125.22 W 35 N 125.75, lot 10½ and E 10 ft of lot 10, Amended Map Subs Mosswood tract, 2 years, $2,000.

Jan 29, 03—Sarah A Stevens (widow) to Same, Oakland, W cor Orange st and Morrison place SW 50 x NW 99, blk B, Map Lands Oakland View Homestead Assn, 2 years, $1,660.

March 17, 03—Tom Howard to Geo Ireland, as in deed from Hulda E Cahling, 5 years, 8 per cent, $1,400.

March 17, 03—Edward D and Mary L Judd to Caroline A Eckley (single), Alameda, S Pacific av 100 E Chestnut E 50 x S 150-2, lot 16, blk 5, Map Lands Adj to Encinal, 1 year, 8 per cent, $2,200.

March 17, 03—P J and Mary E Keller to Thos Morgan, Oakland, as in deed from E A Holman and W H Cornell, 1 year, 1 per cent per month, $300.

Feb 13, 03—Flora M Thomas (widow) to David E Hughes, Berkeley, as in deed from Wm A Ryan, etc, 1 year, 8½ per cent, $1,800.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

March 2, 03—John H and Sylvia R Anderson to Cala Safe Deposit & Trust Co, tr Continental B & L Assn, Oakland, as in deed from E J Shepardson, et ux, $2,000.

March 12, 03—M S Dewing to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite, trs Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, N 34th 346-3 W West st W 50 x N 120-3, lot 25 and W 20 ft of lot 24, blk L, Map Ppty Central Land Co; Berkeley, W Shattuck av 60-1 S Ashby av S 50-1 W 106-2 N 50 E 109-2, lot 2, blk L, Map a ptn of Newbury tract in plot 51, Peralta Rancho, $1,200.

March 16, 03—Caroline C Calhoun (single) to R J McMullen and W C Moody, trs State Savings Bank, Oakland, as in deed from Isabella George and hus, $1,800.

March 2, 03—Oscar and Barbara P Hottel to Cala Safe Deposit & Trust Co, trs Continental B & L Assn, Berkeley, lots 10, 11, 28, 29 and N 20 ft of lots 12 and 27 and S 20 ft lots 9 and 13, blk B, Map Bryant tract, $1,100.

PRODUCE MARKET

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$21@21.50 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—$27@28.50 per ton.
FEEDSTUFFS — Rolled Barley $25 per ton; Oilcake Meal at mill, $25@25.50; jobbing, $26@26.50; Cocoanut Cake, $21@22; Corn Meal, $30@31; Cracked Corn, $30.50@31.50; Mixed Feed, $18.50@19.50; Cottonseed Meal, $26.50.

HAY—Wheat, $12.50@13, with sales of extra fine at $13.50@14; Wheat and Oat, $11.50@13; Red and Black Oat, $11@12.50; Barley, $10@11.50; Stock, $10; Alfalfa, $10@12 per ton.

STRAW—40@55c per bale.

POTATOES, ONIONS AND VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New Potatoes, — per lb; old Burbanks from the river, 37 1-2@50c per cental; Oregon, do, 65@90c; River Reds, 30@35c per ctl; Early Rose, for seed, $1@1.15c per ctl; Garnet Chiles from Oregon, 75@85 per ctl; Sweet Potatoes from Merced, jobbing at $1.65 per ctl.

ONIONS—75@80c fancy and 40@60c for lower grades; Green Onions, 20@35c per box.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus 15c per lb for No. 1 and 10@12½c for No. 2; Rhubarb, 3@5c per lb; Green Peas, 5@7c per lb for Los Angeles and 9c for bay; String Beans 12½@15c per lb, Wax, 10@15c per lb; Cabbage, $1 per ctl; Hothouse Cucumbers, $1@2 per doz; Tomatoes from Los Angeles, —— per crate; Garlic, 3@2 1-2c per lb; Dried Peppers, 6@8c per lb; Marrowfat Squash, $23@30 per ton; Hubbard, $25; Mushrooms, 10@15c per lb.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys 15@17c per lb; Geese, per pair $2@2.50; Goslings, $2@2.50; Ducks, $5.00@6 doz for old and $6@8 for young; Hens, $5@5.50; young Roosters, $6.50@7.50; old Roosters, $5@5.50; Fryers, $6@6.50; Broilers, $5.50@6 for large and $6@6.50 for small; Pigeons, $1.50@1.75 per doz for old and $2.50@2.75 for Squabs.

GAME—Hare, $1.25@1.50 per dozen; Cottontail Rabbits, $1.75; Brush Rabbits, $1; Gray Geese, $2.50@3; White Geese, $1@1.50; Brant, $1@1.50; Honkers, $3@4; English Snipe, $3@3.50; Robins, 75c.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery, first hands, 24@25c per lb; dairy, 22@23c; Store Butter, 1@2c.

CHEESE—New, 13 for choice mild and 12@12½c for seconds; Young America, 13½; Eastern, 17@17½c; Western 16½@17c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch, 14@15c; store, 13½@14c; cold storage Western eggs, nominal.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

APPLES—65c@$1.10 for common and and $1.25@1.75 for fancy.

CITRUS FRUITS—Fancy Navel Oranges $1.75@2.25 pr box (with some specials higher); choice, $1.25@1.75; standard, 75c@$1.25; Seedlings, 75@$1.25; Tangerines, 50@75 for quarter boxes and $1@1.50 for half box; Lemons, 75c@$1 for standard, $1.25@1.50 for quarter boxes and $1@1.50 for half box; choice and $1.25@1.75 for fancy; $1.50@2.50; Mexican Limes, nominal; Bananas, $1.75@2.50 per bunch for New Orleans and $1.25@1.75 for Hawaiian.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon, 12 1-2c per lb for heavy; 13c for light medium, 14 1-2@15c for light, 15½@16c for extra light, 16½@17c for sugar cured and 17½@18c for extra sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured Hams, 14 3-4@15; Cal. Hams, 13 3-4@14c; Mess Beef $11.50@12 per bbl; extra Mess, $8@12.50; Family, $12.50@13; prime Mess Pork, $14.50; extra clear, $26; Mess, $18; Dry Salted Pork, 12 1-2c; Pig Pork, $28; Pigs' Feet, $5; Smoked Beef, 15c per lb.

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CARMEN ISSUES A STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC.

Tell About Wages and Have Something to Say Concerning the General Manager.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18. — The press committee of the Carmen's Union took another fling at Manager Chapman's statement and have issued the following:

"It appears that the general manager of the United Railroads by his statements thinks that some of the sections in our demands crept in through an oversight, but let us say right here that every section of the demands was thoroughly considered from every point of view before being submitted to his company, and we believe, from the treatment we have received at their hands, that if we do not have a contract covering all the points we will still receive very shabby treatment from the corporation, as the United Railroads' treatment of the union has been anything but fair and satisfactory in the past.

"The general manager says that the union reserves the right to hire and discharge the men. That statement is entirely wrong, but we do reserve the right to expel and ask the discharge of men whose actions are not in accordance with the whole body of men in the company's employ. For instance, if a man insists on drinking on duty or is impudent to passengers, we do not propose to have the company continually saying that the union seems to uphold such men. Therefore, we insist that the company shall discharge any man we see fit to expel from our union.

"Then, on the other hand, we do not intend to let a man suffer the loss of time while the company is investigating his case, and we think that a man that makes complaint should be present and face the accused. That seems only just to us, and we think the public will see it in the same light.

"Now, we wish to say that the company has the right to discharge any man whom they have enough evidence against, but we insist on seeing the evidence. That is so because a number of our men have been discharged whom we do not believe should have been, and the company has absolutely refused to give any satisfactory reasons for so doing. We think that what we ask for should be granted on the ground of self-protection.

"Now, about wages. The general manager says we are getting the highest wages on earth for street car work. We deny that, and if he so desires, we can furnish him with the name of street railroad companies in other cities which not only pay a higher rate of wages, but who also operate in cities where food and rent are considerably lower than here. At the same time, we wish to call his attention to the fact that laborers in a great many instances are getting $2.50 per day for eight hours' work, and we think the man on the car has a great deal more responsibility resting on him, for he has not only his passengers' lives in his hands but also the life and limb of the entire public.

"Now, while our work may look easy to the public, if they only knew the amount of nerve energy that is used they would think that our demands were very small indeed. Manager Chapman says that the merchant raises the prices of his goods to meet the demand for higher wages. Granted, but the cost of running street railroads becomes less and less as improved machinery has been invented and the cars enlarged, so that today the cars carry from six to eight times as many passengers as they used to do. We contend and propose to be able to show that the company can well afford to pay us the wages we ask and still be able to make big interest on the money invested.

"Now about the conductors keeping account of their receipts. Manager Chapman speaks as if there were some unseen force making the men keep the record. The fact of the matter is that the men who are keeping the records compose the union, and it is their desire to be just with the company. That is what is causing them to keep the accounts. So if it is shown that the company cannot afford to pay what we ask for, then we can rectify our mistake.

"In the matter of students' cards Manager Chapman says that the Carmen's Union got an ordinance passed requiring local street car employes to serve a seven-day apprenticeship and they must have a certificate showing that they have complied with this provision. Now we say in answer to that that the fact of the men being permitted to run the cars is sufficient proof of their complying with the rule, but if they want a card let the dispatcher furnish one, because our teaching of the apprentices is a mere act of courtesy on our part, because we have no rules and never had any agreement as to the breaking in of new men."

REV. MILLS GIVES AN EXHIBITION.

Rev. B. Fay Mills, pastor of the Unitarian Church, gave an interesting lecture and demonstration on Scientific Psychology, before the Unity Club in Wendt Hall last night.

"Thoughts are Things," was the burden of Mr. Mills' demonstration and some of the results he obtained from his experiments were most startling.

Among the subjects who sat on the platform were Dr. Edgar Pomeroy and Emil Fritch. Besides these there were some eight or ten others and by his thought suggestion made them imagine they saw in turn the air full of butterflies, a snow storm, and a baseball game. He then took a subject and by mind suggestion caused his body to become rigid enough to support the weight of two men. He then, without saying a word, but by silent mind suggestion, controlled the movements of the body at will.

From these experiments Rev. Mr. Mills drew the lesson of the power of development of character by one's own power of mind over self.

OAKLAND UNION TO MAKE DEMAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Steam Laundry Workers' Union, No. 26, at its last meeting received a report that the Oakland union had agreed to make the same demands as the local organization. Both unions will seek to inaugurate the nine-hour workday on April 1, with a ten per cent raise of pay. William F. Downey was delegated to visit the San Jose union and urge its members to submit the same conditions to their employers.

ILLINOIS SOCIETY WILL HOLD MEETING.

The Illinois Society of Alameda Co., California, will hold a social evening next Friday evening in California Hall, 1016 Clay street.

The program will include a stringed orchestra of five pieces, male quartet, solos by H. L. Perry and Miss Laura Le Burg; recitation, S. P. Jeffries; papers, Mrs. F. W. Cushing and Mrs. Edna Stearns, with short talks from Prof. J. P. Garlick, F. E. Van Buskirk and A. R. Waters.

W. C. HARRISON MAKES ADDRESS

HE IS THE GUEST OF NEW ERA CLUB AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

William Greer Harrison, Bohemian, dramatist, author and president of the Olympic Club of San Francisco, read a paper last night before the New Era Club of the First Methodist Church on Harrison addressed the Assemblage a "Creative Libelations." Before Mr. banquet was served under the direction of the Ladies' Aid Society.

During the course of his reading, Mr. Harrison said:

The Christian religion stands preeminently above all other faiths in its purity of purpose, in its desire for good, in its sacrificial character, in its missionary work; and yet it has wrought into its dogmas a theory of evil so repellant, so awful, so blasphemous that one is compelled to believe that inventors of it were hopelessly insane. I refer to the invention of the devil and hell. The Christian Church presents God to us as a loving Father, so loving that He gave His only begotten Son to the world's long list of martyrs—that the world might be saved—and at the same moment declares the existence of Hell, a place of endless torture, and a devil whose sole employment is to lure men into eternal damnation.

"If God made all things He made hell and the devil. How can God be a loving Father and a jailer who imprisons His own children and tortures them throughout all eternity? How could God be a loving Father and yet create a subtle intelligence, only second to Himself, as the express agent of evil, for the purpose of tempting His own children. What chance has any man in a contest with an intellectual giant, whose experience and practice of evil covers tens of thousands of years? No chance—absolutely no chance. Here is man, daily, hourly tempted by the grossness of his own incomplete nature, matched against his deadly enwizard-like and, second to God, the emy, the most accomplished, the most most omnipresent person in religious history. We ask what chance has he, and the answer is None.

"The church declares that by faith this influence may be overcome, and in the same breath that faith is a gift, a grace from God which can only be obtained by long and earnest prayer.

But how can man pray if he has not faith? But why a devil and a hell? They are both creations of diseased minds. They are superfluous, unnecessary, and are libels upon the God of Love.

'But let us guess, if we can, as to the devil. We may imagine that the devil and not Adam was the first man, and that having made him, God found his Frankenstein, a creature He could not destroy. He had created a rival power, the Prince of Darkness, who through all time should cripple and maim, tempt and destroy the children of the second Adam. The common belief is that the devil made his first public appearance in the Garden of Eden, and that Adam and Eve were his first victims and Cain his first disciple.

"What kind of a god is the God of the Christian who could or would furnish an agency for the moral destruction of His first-born in the very morning of His existence. We are told that God walked with Adam and Eve in friendly association. God knew that in the Garden of Eden He had planted the fatal tree, the eating of the fruit of which would give the devil his opportunity. Why was the tree planted? Why was the temptation offered? There is no answer."

The Owl's New Store

The Owl's New Drug Store at Thirteenth and Broadway will be a drug store that every person in Oakland will be glad to enter. The store will be large, very nicely appointed, thoroughly stocked with every obtainable drug and medicine that anyone would want.

There will be many conveniences for the general public not heretofore found in Oakland drug stores.

When our new store opens, which will be shortly, there will be an orchestra in attendance and every body is invited to see what a really fine store The Owl has.

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TELLS OF THE NILES CONE.

AN INTERESTING ADDRESS GIVEN BEFORE THE MEN'S LEAGUE.

The parlors of the First Congregational Church were packed last night, the occasion being a banquet and reception tendered to the City Council-elect by the Young Men's League of the church.

Mayor-elect Olney, City Attorney-elect J. E. McElroy, City Auditor Breed, all the new members of the Council and many prominent citizens were present.

A light banquet was served by the ladies of the church, after which Professor A. C. Lowson of the University of California gave an address on "The Niles Water Cone."

Professor Lowson eludicated his remarks with maps showing the conformation of similar water cones in the Kern River district to show that there is nothing unusual in the Niles cone, but that it is a very natural geological formation possessing all the necessary proofs of its permanency.

Professor Lowson said that the surface area of the Niles cone is 600 square miles and that at a height of about forty-five feet above sea level the quartz gravel beds are cemented with an impervious layer of clay and fine silt that holds the great supply of water as in a basin. No matter what calculation is made in accordance with well-established rules of geological and engineering science, the result always showed that his cone held not less than 15,000 million gallons of water which is enough to supply the city of Oakland for four years without replenishment. The question of replenishment was discussed in connection with the records of rainfalls for a great number of years and every allowance possible was made for a failure of the supply and still every estimate showed that the great cone is an inexhaustible watershed.

The Spring Valley Company is now taking about ten million gallons a day from the watershed, which is 3650 million a year. This amount subtracted from the lowest estimate of the Niles cone still left an available annual supply of at least 12,500 million of gallons for the use of Oakland. All these estimates are made on the amount available above sea level, but it would be possible to go even deeper and still have pure water, as is proved by the fact that there are many wells along the shores of the bay away out on the marsh which is overflowed by salt water.

It would not be necessary, said the professor, to have a great number of wells, or to distribute them over a great area, because the general beds are all united and tapped at any one spot, all the water at that level could be procured.

Engineers generally allow that one-third of the total area of these gravel beds consists of voids between the stones which are filled with water. Professor Lowson said that his figures only assumed that 10 per cent of the beds were voids which would give an annual supply of 24 inches over a surface of 600 square miles.

Even supposing that the Niles cone should fall materially below its average supply, it would certainly be replenished from adjoining cones to which there are several at Haywards, Dry Creek and other places.

A general discussion followed the professor's remarks, in which Mayor-elect Olney, H. A. Powell, R. H. Chamberlain, Rev. C. R. Brown and several others took part. The questions asked showed that the subject had been thoroughly studies.

A Million Voices

Could hardly express the thanks of Homer Hall, of West Point, Ia. Listen why: A severe cold had settled on his lungs, causing a most obstinate cough. Several physicians said he had consumption, but could not help him. When all thought he was doomed he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and writes: "It completely cured me and saved my life. I now weigh 225 lbs." It's positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Osgood Bros., Seventh and Broadway.

A FACT WORTH KNOWING.

You can buy a genuine Columbus Buggy Company's vehicle at the San Francisco house, for about the same you will pay for an imitation, if you will take the trouble to investigate. The Columbus will not admit of as great a profit as cheaper stuff and many dealers say the average buyer does not know the difference. Look into the difference—it will pay you. We can show more vehicles 15 years old still running in Alameda County than all the other factories combined. The freight is the same on cheap vehicles that it is on good ones. We have to have a distributing house in San Francisco for the whole coast and the islands. Big stock to select from and carloads constantly arriving. Market, between Ninth and Tenth street, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.

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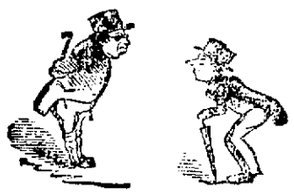

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AFTER THE BALL.

A CONFIDENTIAL CHAT.

"Well, Bessie, here we are, the party is over and I'm tired to death. But it was *a dream*, wasn't it?"

"I'm glad *you* at least had a good time, Enid, for I didn't. I never in all my life felt so much like a wall-flower. I know I look like a fright, but that's no reason why Fred, Alfred and cousin Max should leave me entirely by myself, they never once looked my way. Once upon a time they were only too glad to dance with me, but since I lost the roses from my cheeks, got thin and pale, they have avoided me. I tell you, Enid, I must do something for myself soon or I'll be retired to the shelf to mould and wither."

"It's perfect nonsense, Bessie, for you to talk of being laid on the shelf, only twenty-five years old and ready to quit, as out of the race. Why, it all depends on yourself. Forget your worries, your aches and ailments; do as I did, take plenty of out-of-door air, cultivate happiness by not allowing your mind to dwell on the trifles and the worries of life, which seem so like mountains to you, but which will simply melt into thin air, if you follow my example. I was hollow-cheeked, weak and nervous; I worked about the house all day, oftentimes did not go out of the house for days; finally, I sent thirty-one cents in stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., for his 'Common Sense Medical Adviser,' and found it contained much useful information about the care of my health, about physiology, anatomy, and everything a woman should know. I then decided to write Dr. Pierce and tell him all about my ailments. I received such a nice carefully considered letter, in reply, giving me advice about my diet, exercise and all. This advice is free to everyone and I wonder you don't write him at once. It didn't take me many months to regain my good looks. Ever since I was fifteen I have suffered untold agonies periodically but now I am free from pain, worry and bad temper. I started in with light exercise and movements in the morning before dressing, taking breathing exercise and a tepid sponge bath. Occasionally, about once a week, I took a little vegetable pill called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets—this for the complexion, and to stimulate the liver. Then I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription three times a day for those womanly weaknesses I told you about. That's my secret of beauty. It's the easiest thing in the world to be happy and keep one's good looks. Look at the thousands of women who have been made well by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription; look how they keep their good looks. Dr. Pierce offers $500 reward for women who cannot be cured. Let me read you the offer: 'The proprietors and makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription feel fully warranted in offering to pay $500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of Womb which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

'Their financial responsibility is well known to every newspaper publisher and druggist in the United States, with most of whom they have done business for over a third of a century. From this fact it will readily be seen how utterly foolish it would be for them to make the above unprecedented and remarkable offer if they were not basing their offer on curative means having an unparalleled record. No other medicine than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription could possibly 'win out,' as the saying goes, on such a proposition. But they know whereof they speak. They have the most remarkable record of cures made by this world-famed remedy ever placed to the credit of any preparation especially designed for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments. This wonderful remedy, therefore, stands absolutely alone as the only one possessed of such remarkable curative properties as would warrant its makers in publishing such a marvelous offer as is above made in the utmost good faith. WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Proprietors, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.'"

"I can testify to the wonderful good Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription did for me, and am pleased to do so," writes Mrs. Lida E. Smith, White Fawn Council, No. 9, Degree of Pocahontas, 608 North 17th Street, Omaha, Nebr. "For some years my health has been poor; was troubled with weakness, pains in the back and groins, and dull sick headaches. These symptoms were of monthly occurrence and I really never expected to be well again. A friend who was very enthusiastic about your 'Favorite Prescription' induced me to try it. I bought a bottle, began taking it and was surprised to find that I was not nearly as sick as usual, and a few months' continued use of the medicine restored me to perfect health. I really feel ten years younger."

"I am glad to be able to testify as to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for the many ills that women suffer with," writes Miss Gertrude Mitchell (President Young Ladies' Christian Endeavor Society), 43 Columbia Street, E., Detroit, Mich. "After many years of suffering and pain I took your medicine, and in a short time began to feel stronger, became more regular and didn't have the bearing-down pains which had been my lot for so long. Continued its use until I was a well woman, and shall never cease to be very grateful that it was brought to my notice. I have no pains, and feel much stronger generally."

"'Silence is Golden,' but not where your 'Favorite Prescription' is concerned," writes Miss Rose Bedford, residing at 89 Brewster Street, Detroit, Mich., (Secretary Hope Lodge, No. 212, Independent Order of Good Templars,) "and I feel that to keep silent any longer would be doing an injustice to you and to those of my own sex who may be suffering as I have been. I hold up to them your 'Favorite Prescription' as a beacon light. Eight bottles cured me after other medicines failed. I cannot describe the agonies I endured from nervous prostration and female weakness; but thanks to your specific, the world seems brighter to me than I ever expected it would."

The dealer who offers a substitute for "Favorite Prescription," is only seeking to make the little more profit afforded by a less meritorious medicine. His profit is your loss. Therefore, turn your back on him as unworthy of your patronage.

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WRONGS OF PEDESTRIANS.

The common use of public highways naturally creates confusion as to where the rights of one end and the rights of others begin. Outside incorporated cities both pedestrians and vehicles have a common right to the public highway, though the rule of the common law is that the superior right rests with the pedestrian, provided he does not use it purposely to the disadvantage or obstruction of the vehicle. In America, however, the driver of the vehicle does as he pleases without regard to the rights, legal or moral, of the pedestrian. The latter must look to himself, as he is treated as one with no rights that the man on horseback or a wagon is bound to respect. In practice, he has no rights, only wrongs.

The advent of the bicycle and automobile has made the use of the highway by pedestrians still more of a privilege and less of a right. Now the bicycler and the vehicle driver must get out of the way of the automobile, the driver of which has taken all the superior right to himself, and whirls along quite regardless of what other people may think of his manner of monopolizing the public road.

In the cities there is still another vehicle that takes the right-of-way from even the automobile. The electric car holds the center of the street, and all others must get out of the way. It is a question of might rather than right. Because of the disposition of street railroad companies to assume ownership of the streets a decision recently handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in St. Louis deserves special attention. It clearly defines the respective rights of pedestrians and vehicles upon street railway tracks, and lays it down as a rule of law that a motorman must respect the right of others to cross the tracks at any place (not alone at regular crossings), and that the motorman must exercise as much vigilance to avoid running into pedestrians or vehicles as pedestrians or drivers of vehicles must exercise to prevent a collision. Throughout, the tenor and line of argument of the decision uphold the common law doctrine that the first right to the use of the highway is with the pedestrians. A long line of decisions is quoted to sustain the rule that the rights of pedestrians when crossing the street must not only be respected by street car motormen but by drivers of other vehicles as well.

In the light of this decision, it is worth while to note the common practice in this city, which is to subordinate the rights of pedestrians to the convenience, or even whims, of vehicle drivers, motormen of street cars and wheelmen. On the sidewalks bicycle riders, in plain violation of the general law and a municipal ordinance, have assumed to have the right of way. The pedestrian can either yield passage or take the chance of being run down. This alternative is not submitted by a large majority of wheelmen, but it is by a considerable minority, who are agressively indifferent to the rights and safety of others. Of course a person knocked down can have the wheelman arrested—if he can catch him—but as the latter is usually a stranger and can get out of sight in a jiffy on his wheel, the aggrieved pedestrian is practically without redress.

On the portion of the streets traversed by street cars, the railway companies bid defiance, as a rule, to all law or municipal regulation, and treat both pedestrians and vehicles as trespassers. They assume that their franchises confer absolute ownership of the streets, and their motto in handling their property is "the public be d—d."

A DISGRACEFUL MARRIAGE.

The marriage in San Francisco of a woman to a convicted felon on the eve of his departure for the Legislature suggests the advisability of enacting a law making it a misdemeanor if not a felony for any clergyman, or magistrate, or other person authorized by law to solemnize a marriage, to knowingly unite in marriage any convicted felon prior to his legal discharge; also making it a misdemeanor or felony for a County Clerk, or authorized deputy, to issue a marriage license to a convicted felon prior to his legal discharge from custody. It is time to put a summary end to marriages of this character. They are opposed to public policy and are shocking to the moral sense.

Visitation by women other than relatives of men confined in prison, whether convicted or not, calls for wholesome restriction. Women have no business visiting men in jail unless they be wives or near relatives. To allow females outside the close degrees of consanguinity to visit men in prison is to invite mischief. The practice has a bad effect on the morals of both, and is prejudicial to prison discipline. It ought to be summarily stopped.

What's in a name? Here is W. B. Wright, convicted in Honolulu of embezzling public moneys, and Whittaker Wright is under arrest in New York as a fugitive from justice. By an inversion of facts and terms both these Wrights appear to be wrong.

CALIFORNIA CROP OUTLOOK.

A wet March in California is usually the harbinger of a good harvest. A succession of frosts in January and February, provided there is plenty of rain, generally assures a big fruit crop.

The conjunction of both these indications in the superlative degree presage a heavy crop of both grain and fruit this year. Weather conditions that insure grain and fruit, also insure hay and potatoes. Consequently, the outlook is for a bountiful harvest. Alameda county is one of the largest producers of hay, fruit and vegetables in the State. It is probably first in fruit and vegetable production, and immediate observation confirms the conclusions usually drawn from March rains and February frosts.

It is apparent that this is going to be a big crop year in Alameda county, and the question of prices is naturally the next chief consideration. The general level of prices now is good—for Alameda they are high. In the local market fruit and vegetables will command good figures, but large shipments of fruit are made to the East, and the prices received depend to a considerable degree upon the extent and quality of the Eastern crop. Reports indicate that the Eastern peach crop will be short, which will help the price of California peaches and apricots. The California cherry crop will be a little late this spring, but so is the spring East, and the Southern strawberry crop will not compete more strongly than in ordinary years.

The best feature of the outlook, however, is the continuance of good times, high wages and business activity. This insures a large consumption as well as ability to pay fair prices. When general business conditions are good, the demand for fruit is large. An active demand means ready sale and good prices.

Taken all in all, the prospect is one to hearten the California farmers, if abundant harvests and lucrative prices are heartening.

A FORGOTTEN RAILROAD SCHEME.

The announcement that the Santa Fe will build from Stockton to Sacramento suggests the revival of the old project to build a line around the north shore of the bay to the Capital. The Santa Fe has acquired a controlling interest in the California and Northwestern, which runs north from Tiburon to Willits, and is shortly to be extended to Eureka. It was a proposition mooted many years ago to build from a point on the Sonoma valley branch of this line direct east to Sacramento. At one time the Central Pacific people contemplated reaching San Francisco by that route, but finally bought the Western Pacific.

It is no further from Tiburon to Sacramento by this route than it is from Oakland to Sacramento by way of Benicia. A stretch of the proposed road is across a marsh and very expensive to build, but no more expensive than a portion of the line between Benicia and Suisun. Colonel Peter Donahue cherished the idea of an overland road reaching San Francisco by that route to the day of his death.

The carrying out of this abandoned project would enable the Santa Fe to reach the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys with its lumber cars by a short route without ferrying them across the bay. It would also give the Santa Fe a short line from San Francisco and the north to the State Capital, and would enable it to successfully compete with the Southern Pacific for the Eastern fruit shipments from Sonoma, Mendocino and Solano counties. Less than seventy miles of new track are necessary to carry the line to Sacramento, and the only grades of consequence would be on a few miles of road passing through the Eastern spur of the Coast Range north of Benicia.

There may be nothing in it, of course, but the present activity of the Santa Fe north of the bay suggests that it may not be content to have its north shore lines remain cut off from physical connection with the other parts of its great system. And it may ultimately want to reach Portland by the coast route, a project that is not at all impracticable.

St. Louis is proving that she lacks the speed of Chicago. Originally the Louisiana Purchase Exposition was to open on May 1st this year, but it was postponed for a year because the managers said they were unable to get the buildings and grounds ready in time. Now they are talking of postponing it for still another year for the same reason. Perhaps they had better postpone it till St. Louis gets to be a live town. If the people of that town go on putting the thing off, the public will lose all interest in the fair.

It is quite in accord with the fitness of things that Assessor Dodge should be detailed to make Mrs. Theresa Oelrichs pay her taxes. Now we will see how the game goes between Dodge and the tax dodger.

Whittaker Wright's claim to being an American citizen has some resemblance to his claim of being an injured innocent.

AT LAST THE CANAL.

The prompt ratification of the Panama Canal treaty will give profound satisfaction throughout the country. It is a matter for public congratulation that the canal question is disposed of, to the extent at least of being constructed without further delay. It is an assurance that at last the ardent desire of the American people, a hope cherished ever since the nation got out of swaddling clothes, is about to be realized.

True, there is still one more formality to be complied with ere the Panama canal can be transferred to the agents of the United States government, but this need occasion no apprehension. Colombia will ratify the treaty beyond question, and then we can go ahead with the work of completing it. How long this will take is a matter of speculation, but it is reasonable to assume that in from seven to ten years the canal will be open to commerce, and then the supremacy of the United States over this hemisphere and the adjacent seas will be unquestioned and unquestionable.

Senator Morgan, who has been for fifteen years the most persistent advocate of an isthmian canal in American public life, was implacable to the last in his opposition to ratification. It is an irony of fate, or perversity of events that found him attempting to block the consummation of the project he had advocated so strenuously during the major part of his long service in the Senate. That the treaty has some serious defects is admitted, but they can be easily remedied. Once the canal is opened, the United States will be prepared to police and defend it. This country will never surrender the highway it has created, nor will it permit any other nation to share control or jurisdiction over it.

While the terms of the treaty are somewhat unsatisfactory in respect to the powers conferred upon the United States, the logic of the situation will bring its own adjustment. Possession is nine points of the law, and where possession is coupled with the power to maintain it, it is scarcely worth while to borrow trouble over purely speculative consequences. That is the way the people think. They want the canal now and their temper is such that the obstacle must be insurmountable to prevent the canal being constructed at once.

The legal and international difficulties having been cleared away, the completion of the canal now becomes a question of money and engineering skill. This country is abundantly supplied with both. Unless nature interposes an absolute veto, the Atlantic and the Pacific will at last be wedded.

The appearance of William Jennings Bryan at a Michigan convention to nominate a Judge of the Supreme Court indicates that the Nebraska statesman wants the Kansas City platform judicially affirmed.

Professor Adolph Wagner of Berlin will please take notice that we will not only uphold the Monroe Doctrine but will do our own interpreting of that principle.

It seems that when Congressman Woods opened his mouth at the Union League dinner the Naval Office flew out of it.

Since Sir Thomas Lipton had his yacht built in Scotland it would have been more appropriate to have called her "The Thistle."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

"The Smart Set" are such by title only.

The best love stories never appear in print.

The smallest man is not always the quietest one.

To talk entertainingly you should not talk profoundly.

Tact is as essential as education in the activities of life.

In the House of Lords is a good place to find stupidity as well.

The man with an ungovernable temper can generally govern it in the presence of a bigger man.

Birds, unlike their operatic brothers and sisters, do not sing for a living. On the contrary, they sing for nothing and trust to what they can pick up.

"Be wise today," it will help you in your business.

What a great man leaves undone is seldom finished.

Why should nature hate a vacuum? There is nothing in it.

There are many things worse than idle gossip, but not much worse.

After the honeymoon the divorce—in at least half the romantic cases.

The life of a farmer may be full of poetry indeed, but he never has time to write it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents.

To be free from sick headache, biliousness, constipation, etc., use Carter's Little Liver Pills. Strictly vegetable. They gently stimulate the liver, and free the stomach from bile.

March Our Bargain Month

I shall endeavor to give you your money's worth. Ask any reliable merchant in Oakland. Goods delivered free of charge. H. Schelhaas, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets.

A SOCIETY PET.

By indulging a penchant to bebt
A "hossy" young man got in debt;
He owed such a sumb
He was forced to succumb,
And is wearing his sumemr suit yebt.

MORE KSTRIFE.

A pleasant young man hi.fiCIII—BIIUN
A pleasant young lad had a kife,
Whose pitch was as sharp as a knife;
So shrill was its shriek
That he busted his chiek,
And his neighbors are weary of klife.

Chips From Other Blocks.

The official snake catcher of the Government will get a salary of $50 a month. By close application he can see a great many snakes for the money.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Senator Beveridge waives aside the suggestion of a Vice Presidential nomination with an air of considering the office entirely too inconsiderate, but with a secret conviction that President Roosevelt is rather too healthy.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Dunlap, the hat man, began business with $2,000 half of which he used in advertising. In view of his success, it would be hard to say which was the better half of his capital.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

General Funston is to be sent to Alaska to settle the boundary dispute. Whenever there is any frozen mustard to cut the job naturally falls to Funston.—Philadelphia North American.

"I have been talking too much of late," said Dr. Parkhurst to a New York Sun reporter. We believe a certain parrot made a similar remark on one rather strenuous occasion.—Washington Post.

Had the Rough Rider stuck as long to Mississippi as he has to the Crum nomination he might have got a bear.—New York Telegram.

Austria will not participate in the St. Louis exposition. Horrors! Does this mean another postponement?—Los Angeles Express.

Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan has left Cuba. The fear that he would take it with him is thus fully removed.—Baltimore Herald.

Would you say, "This is some one else's umbrella" or, "This is some one's else umbrella?" Or would you pretend that it was yours?—Boston Globe.

If all the railroads that are projected on paper could be built there would be no further complaint about the congestion of traffic.—Cleveland Leader.

There is a tendency in some quarters to hurl Mr. Corbett's famous retort, "Go and get a reputation," at Judge Parker.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

If there is anything more that Uncle Sam wants in Cuba let him issue a commission to Mr. Morgan. He will get it.—Topeka Journal.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

"Did their love affair end happily?"

"Comparatively so. It ended without the aid of a minister."—Judge.

He—What would you call a "polite fiction?"

She—Why, if I should say to you, "Really, Mr. Jones, I hope you are not thinking of going so soon!"—Judge.

"Now," said the promoter, "we've got our new trust started. All we need is a good catchy title and we'll list the stock on 'change."

"Why not call it 'Peninsula stock?'" suggested the man who was wise.

"What has 'Peninsula' to do with it?"

"Well, a peninsula, you know, is almost entirely surrounded by water."—Catholic Standard.

The Tiger—Between you and me, the lion is dreadfully henpecked.

The Elephant—So I understand. They say he doesn't dare to roar when he's at home.

"Yonder goes Jinkins on his honeymoon."

"But—where's his bride?"

"Well, he didn't have enough for two, and she's sensible, and don't want the earth."—Atlanta Constitution.

The Comic Muse.

THE COMIC MUSE.

The Goo-goo Girl is she who tries,
By every subtle art,
Of making fellows "trust" her eyes,
To "syndicate" her heart.
—Philadelphia Record.

Patti! She's coming to sing once more,
We'll flock to hear her, as oft before;
And we'll reflect, upon the morrow,
"Parting is such expensive sorrow!"
—Chicago Tribune.

Lives of candidates disgusted
Lives of candidates disgusted
Teach that booms lead to despair,
If their early growth is trusted
To purveyors of hot air.
—Washington Post.

LONESOME LIMERICKS.

(Wayside Tales.)

SAD.

There was a young thing of Nomad,
Who was kept very close by her dad;
And all the week through
She was sober and blue,
But Saturday evening—Oh! Gad!!

PUNCTILIUOS.

A wise man once said to his son,
Whenever you think of a pun,
Go out in the yard
And kick yourself hard,
And let me begin when you're done.

RACHMEUNCTIUS.

A druggist who thought that a drachm
Was equal in weight to a hachm,
When charged by the boss
For causing a loss,
Replied, "I don't care a dachm."

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To Cure Disease
Discovered by Mrs. O. S. Fowler. It is independent of all other systems. She will teach two classes, beginning Tuesday, March 17, at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. of the same day, over Hamilton Hall, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets.
Phrenological examinations and health consultations daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., at Hotel Metropole, until March 26.

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Every visitor receives a glass present made by the company. Doors open 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m. Saturday Special Matinee, Children 10c.

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NEWS FROM CITY OF ALAMEDA

TO INCREASE HIS SALARY.

CITY CLERK GILLOGLY'S EFFICIENCY APPRECIATED BY THE CITY TRUSTEES.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—An ordinance raising the salary of City Clerk Gillogly from $115 to $125 per month was introduced at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Trustee Miller, in introducing the ordinance, complimented Mr. Gillogly on the thorough and efficient manner he has performed his duties and showed that by doing all his work without the assistance of a deputy, the clerk had saved the city a great many dollars.

HE DISTURBED THE PEACE IN ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—J. J. Fleming, a resident of this city, was arrested yesterday for disturbing the peace. While intoxicated Fleming, it is alleged, went into Joseph Bernard's saloon, corner of Railroad avenue and Park street, and made himself so obnoxious that he was turned over to the police. He was finally released on $5 bail.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE A. J. MERLE.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—The funeral services of Adrian J. Merle, pioneer manufacturer and financier of San Francisco, was held yesterday afternoon at his late residence, 2167 Alameda avenue. The attendance was large, many old friends of the family being present from across the bay. The service was conducted by Rev. Father T. J. O'Connell of St. Joseph's Church. The pall-bearers were Andrew Rudgear, Andrea Sbarboro, Vanderlyn Stow, Louis de Rome, James Leahy and Charles J. Leist. The interment was in the family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

NEWS NOTES FROM CITY OF ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—Bert Lobenstein of Hilo, Hawaii, is visiting his mother at her home, 2708 Central avenue.

Henry Rischsrath and Herman Bolt have been elected to represent Alameda Parlor at the Grand Parlor of Native Sons. C. T. Rose and E. Probst were chosen alternates.

Dr. J. M. Young is seriously ill at the home of his friend, Charles W. Coffin, 1180 Regent street. "The Shack," as the doctor has named his home at the foot of Walnut street, will be closed until he is convalescent.

The distribution of the property on the southwest corner of Grand street and Alameda avenue, belonging to the estate of the late Mattie H. Bew, has been completed by the probate court. An undivided one-half interest goes to George H. and George E. Bew.

STUDENT BODY FORBIDS CHARTER DAY RUSH

BERKELEY, March 18.—Not only is the faculty of the University of California opposed to the Charter Day rush, but the student-body also has forbidden the annual conflict between the freshmen and sophomores. At their meeting last night the executive committee, the representative body of the Associated Students, passed resolutions urging that the wishes of President Wheeler in regard to the old tradition be regarded by the lower classmen. Should the freshmen place their numerals on Charter Hill Sunday night and the sophomores rush them in an endeavor to efface the symbols of their rivals, both classes will act against the wishes of the faculty and student body.

The resolutions passed last night read as follows:

"Whereas, Heretofore considerable disturbance has been caused on the eve of Charter Day by the clashing of freshmen and sophomore classes on Charter Hill; and

"Whereas, President Wheeler has requested that members of these classes remain away from Charter Hill on this night; therefore

"Be it resolved, That any disobedience of this request will be looked upon with disfavor by the executive committee of the Associated Students."

CALIFORNIA DEFEATS OAKLAND Y. M. C. A.

BERKELEY, March 18.—California won the first of the series of basketball games by defeating the Oakland Y. M. C. A. last night in the Harmon Gymnasium. After an exciting and well-played game the score stood 20 to 16 in favor of the college men. The teams lined up as follows:

California—Brown, center; Junck and Baker, and Junck and Musgrove, forwards; Ferguson and Koch, and Evans and Koch, guards.

Oakland—O. Kurtz, center; Burpee and Menges, forwards; W. Kurtz and Rode, guards.

REVIVAL SERVICES IN EAST OAKLAND

Dr. Shepardson, who preaches from a wheelchair, is attracting rapidly increasing audience at the Tenth-avenue Baptist Church, East Oakland. Yesterday the large auditorium was well filled, both morning and evening. The 3:30 services are lectures on the Epistle to the Hebrews. They are worthy of a very wide hearing.

The evening services are of a more general character and designed to reach non-church-goers and others who are not professing Christianity.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Mr. J. W. Irwin will give his lecture entitled "In the Lands of the Jap, the Chino, and the Filipino" on Friday evening, March 27th at Pilgrim Congregational Church, Eighth avenue and East Fifteenth street.

The lecture is illustrated by one hundred and fifty colored pictures. It is given in response to an invitation from the ladies of the church.

CORONER HOLDS INQUEST.

INVESTIGATES CIRCUMSTANCES ATTENDING DEATH OF YOUNG HELMSTEIN.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—The Coroner's inquest in the case of young Albert Helmstein, who died last Sunday after a fall from his bicycle, was held this morning at 10 o'clock.

There was no autopsy, the attending physicians being positive that death resulted from concussion of the brain. The Coroner's jury rendered a verdict that Albert G. Helmstein came to his death by falling from a bicycle, while riding along Santa Clara avenue, concussion of the brain resulting from said fall.

The funeral services were held at Fowler's undertaking parlors at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The remains were cremated.

BOARD OF EDUCATION HOLDS REGULAR MEETING.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. Regular routine business was transacted.

The resignation of George Lacombe as truant officer and messenger to the superintendent, to take effect April 1, was accepted.

No successor to Mr. Lacombe has as yet been appointed.

MINISTERS MEET AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SEMI-ANNUAL CONVOCATION OF THE DIOCESE OF CALIFORNIA.

The semi-annual convocation of the diocese of California, Episcopal Church, was held to-day at the Church of the Advent in East Oakland and was largely atended by clergymen and laymen from different churches throughout Northern California.

The spacious church was well filled when the session began at 10 o'clock this morning with a regular service. The sermon, which was more in the nature of an address, was delivered by Right Rev. Sidney C. Partridge, D. D., Bishop of Kayota, Japan, and was most interesting. The subject was the teaching of the Christian religion in the Oriental countries. Dr. Partridge handled the subject in a masterly way and held the undivided attention of his audience throughout.

The gist of his remarks were to the effect that the public in general had almost no conception whatever of the methods necessary and the labor consumed in teaching the heathens the doctrines of religion. He spoke of the great work being accomplished by the Episcopal missions throughout the Orient.

He said that the general impression was that all a missionary had to do was to travel through the country preaching and distributing tracts and religious reading matter, whereas in truth, the heathens have to be taken to the very beginning and taken step by step through the school of religion. He said that it was not a matter of days, weeks or months, but years to convert the heathens to the cause of religion. Dr. Partridge related several small incidents that had come to his notice and which served to illustrate his point.

At the conclusion of Dr. Partridge's remarks a regular communication service was conducted by the Rt. Rev. William Ford Nichols, Bishop of the diocese of California. When this was over, the session adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon for lunch. The Ladies' Aid Society had a sumptuous lunch prepared and all in attendance at the session were requested to remain as their guests.

The afternoon service is devoted to the business of the convocation and among other matters a successor to the late Edgar J. Lion as dean of the diocese will be elected. The balance of the afternoon is to be taken up with discussion of the foreign missions.

GOVERNOR PARDEE MAKES EXCELLENT APPOINTMENT.

Governor Pardee, in naming Frank W. Marston as a member of the Board of Trustees of the San Francisco Normal School, has named one of the most popular and best known citizens in the State. Mr. Marston is an earnest worker in the ranks of the Republican party and is foremost among the leaders in California. His appointment to the highly responsible office named is certainly an honor that Mr. Marston may well feel proud of. He will be a valuable acquisition to the Board of Trustees of the San Francisco Normal School, being eminently qualified to fill the very important position to which Governor Pardee has selected him. Mr. Marston's many friends on this side of the bay will be pleased to learn of the deserved recognition he has received at the hands of the Governor.

COMMISSIONERS HOLD UP CONTRA COSTA BILLS.

At a meeting of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners this morning twenty-two water bills aggregating $24,671.32 fro mthe Contra Costa Water Company for water furnished the city, were held up until the suit pending between the city and the corporation is settled.

MANAGER RESIGNS POSITION.

SEVERS HIS CONNECTION WITH THE CITY LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

ALAMEDA, March 18.—George S. Thompson, who for the past eighteen months has been bookkeeper and manager of the Electric Light Department, has tendered his resignation to President Forderer of the Board of City Trustees, to take effect March 31st.

Mr. Thompson will resume employment with the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, with whom he had been connected for a great many years previous to his present position.

J. H. Wittich, who has been doing the collecting and outside work for the Light Department will do Mr. Thompson's work until a successor is appointed.

Mr. Thompson claims his resignation was entirely voluntary, but it is reported that there has been considerable friction between the superintendent of the light department and the manager for some time past.

CHURCH PROTESTS AGAINST FAIR

PASTOR AND TRUSTEES DO NOT WANT FREAKS AND WILD ANIMALS ABOUT.

Street fairs, wild animals and freaks of nature do not appeal to the trustees of the St. Paul's Swedish Lutheran Church, its pastor and some of the members. In fact, they would prohibit the Lodge of Elks or any other organization from holding a carnival in the vicinity of Lafayette Square, for today a petition was filed with the City Clerk, signed by the Rev. August J. Rodell of the Lutheran Church, Ninth and Clay streets, its trustees, some of the members and residents in that neighborhood, protesting against the Council's granting a license to any corporation or company to hold a street fair on Lafayette Square or vicinity.

The petitioners claim that the high board fences around the fair grounds inconvenience them in getting to their homes, and they object to the noise made by the show spellers, the nuisance of the exhibitions and the damage done to the lawns.

The petition, which is signed by twenty-four persons, including the pastor and the trustees, is as follows:

"To the City Council—Gentlemen: We, the petitioners, ask of you not to grant any privileges or licenses to any company or corporation to conduct a street fair this year on Tenth or Eleventh streets, between Clay and Castro streets, or on Lafayette Square, as we object to having the street fenced in and lawns destroyed; also to noise and nuisance of the exhibitions of freaks and wild animals, which continue until 12 o'clock at night; also the inconveniences of getting to our homes."

WOMAN THREATENED BY AN ACTOR.

MRS. J. S. HUNTER CAUSES THE ARREST OF G. D. BAILEY.

For threatening Mrs. J. S. Hunter of 861 Jackson street with personal violence, G. D. Bailey, a young actor, was taken into custody by the police today and booked on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The thespian is a recent arrival from Sacramento where he has been playing leading parts in a stock company. During his stay in this city he has been roming at the residence of Mrs. Hunter. This morning, so it is said, Bailey came to his boarding place considerably under the influence of liquor and made threats against Mrs. Hunter, using most abusive language.

The actor's actions so alarmed her that she telephoned the police and the patrol wagon conveyed Bailey to the Police Station. Mrs. Hunter soon followed and preferred charges against him.

PERSONS LOSING ARTICLES REPORT TO THE POLICE.

John T. McClure, an honorably discharged soldier, reported to the police today that he had lost his discharge papers some where between the Sixteenth street depot and Fourteenth street. He had served in the Philippines in the Seventieth Coast Artillery.

D. L. Glass has informed the police that his bicycle, which he had left standing in front of the Y. M. C. A. building last night, is missing.

Mrs. T. Moran reports to the police that yesterday she lost her gold watch in the City Hall Park.

MAY NOT BE APPOINTED.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Assistant Secretary Armstrong had a conference with the President to-day regarding the case of William Plimley to be assistant treasurer at New York.

While the officials are entirely reticent as to what will be done in the matter, it is understood that information received by the Government is such that it has been practically decided that Mr. Plimley will not be commissioned.

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Our grand display of Novelty Suits, in popular weaves of Etamines and Voile—now on exhibition. Novelties in Crepe de Chine Suits. Novelties in Silk and Monte Carlo Jackets on display in our Cloak Department. Also swell assortment of Silk and Lace Waists.

MASONS ARE VERY INDIGNANT AT DRAPER.

Sports Will Be Dropped out of Manhattan Lodge.

Astounding Revelations are Made By the Investigators.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Astounding revelations that have followed the discovery that "Shang" Draper had been made a Mason have filled Grand Master Crandall and his associates in the grand lodge with dismay and indignation.

So high does the feeling run because of the discovery that Draper is not the only person of his class who has gained admittance to lodges in Manhattan and Brooklyn, that it would not be astonishing if the charters of several lodges should be suspended before the end of the week and many expulsions from the fraternity follow.

Draper, it has been ascertained, is not only a Master Mason, but also a Royal Arch Mason.

As early as last November he was taken into Mount Zion Chapter, still representing himself to be a respectable broker.

He went in with the first class that took the degrees that month.

BARZONE FOUND GUILTY OF DISCHARGING PISTOL

H. J. Barzone, who was arrested for discharging a revolver inside the city limits, was found guilty in the Police Court this morning, and sentenced to five days in the City Prison on charges of carrying a concealed weapon and shooting inside the city limits.

BAPTIST MINISTER DEAD.

PIQUA, O., March 18.—The Rev P. M. Weddell, one of the oldest Baptist ministers in the West, died suddenly last night at the age of 82. He celebrated his fiftieth anniversary in the ministry in 1898, and retired from the active ministry several years ago.

FOOD LESSONS.

WHAT PROPER FOOD WILL DO.

"It was but a few months ago that I learned how to feed myself right," said a man from Washington, Ill. "Then I was but a part of what I am now. I was greatly troubled with my stomach, my muscles were weak and flabby, and I was completely tired out, faint and dizzy after a day's work.

"I commenced using Grape-Nuts, and in a short time noticed a marked change. The food gave just the kind of nourishment I needed and agreed with my stomach so well that I soon forgot I had one. I gained rapidly in strength, my brain became clear and the worn-out feeling at night entirely disapeared. Now I am in the best of health and weigh 150 pounds, which is more than I ever weighed before.

"I induced the son of a friend to use Grape-Nuts; he was sick and weakly, caused mostly by indigestion and other troubles arising from a bad stomach. He then weighed 125 pounds; in a few weeks, after using Grape Nuts daily, he was so greatly improved that he entered the field-day contests and acquitted himself splendidly. He kept gradually increasing in weight until now he weighs 148 pounds, all hard muscle, and is playing on the local football team, a thing that a year ago anyone would have laughed at."

If half the people who have weak stomachs or are about half well, would stop eating poorly-cooked food and use Grape-Nuts instead they would not only save money, but would soon be as healthy as the best. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

CHALLENGED TO FIGHT A DUEL TO DEATH.

Four Servian Officers Want Their Honor Vindicated.

Charged With Being Servile to Queen Draga.

VIENNA, March 18.—Four Servian officers, including former War Minister Antonics, have challenged Professor Alexander Borisalvjevic, of the University of Belgrade, to fight duels to the death because he publicly charged them with obtaining promotion over their seniors through servility to Queen Draga.

It is said King Alexander peremptorily ordered the officers to send the challenges and the King's initiative is severly criticised in Servia, where duelling is no an institution.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY BOARD OF WORKS.

The following resolutions were passed at a meeting of the Board of Public Works this morning:

"Resolved, That the claim of James A. McMahan, dated March 6, 1903, amounting to $260 against the general fund for furnishing and driving piles, together with new chocks at the city wharf, and furnishing and fitting stringers under the edge of the shed, be and is hereby approved, amount allowed and referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee of the City Council agreeable with Council resolution No. 25,282.

"Resolved, That Council resolution No. 28,061, authorizing the Board of Public Works to construct a catch-basin at the southwest corner of Tenth and Adeline streets, the same to be water tight and trapped, be and is hereby referred to the Superintendent of Streets with power to act.

"Resolved, That Council resolution No. 28,079, authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend the sum of $200 for printing 200 copies of the new rules and regulations governing the Police Department of the city of Oakland, be and is hereby referred to the Chief of Police with power to act.

"Resolved, That the petition of D. J. Suell, a house mover, for permission to move a two-story building from the west side of San Pablo avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, to a point directly opposite, be and is hereby granted, upon his compliance with ordinance No. 1460, and the approval of the Superintendent of Streets and the City Electrician.

"Resolved, That the bond of the Piedmont Paving Company, given for security for the payment of all claims of material men, merchants and labor employed by them upon a cement sidewalk six feet wide in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor, entered into with the Board of Public Works March 2, 1903, be and is hereby approved."

OLD OFFENDERS IN THE POLICE COURT.

Annie Berry, Mary Toomey and the latter's husband, John, often in the Police Court dock, were on hand again this morning to answer to charges of drunkenness. Mary had a further charge of vagrancy to answer. Only yesterday Mary and Annie were released from the City Prison, where they had served fifteen days each on charges of drunkenness. All pleaded guilty to the charges this morning and Annie was sentenced to serve five days, John four days in the City Prison, while Mary had judgment suspended on the charge of drunkenness, but was given thirty days in the County Jail on the vagrancy charge.

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PLANTS AND TREES OFFERED TO THE BOARD OF WORKS.

Mrs. F. A. Bashford of 1379 Harrison street offered to the Board of Public Works this morning a valuable Norfolk Island pine tree, but owing to the fact that it will cost about $200 to remove the tree to one of the city's parks, and then with little hope of the tree living, the offer was refused with thanks.

W. B. Quigley of Cazadero offered to send the Board of Works samples of ferns growing in his vicinity, but as the city has no hot-house, it will be compelled to refuse the offer.

Ye Greate Concerte of Musick
By Ye Olde Folke
at the Macdonough Theater
Thursday and Friday Evenings, March 19 and 20th
Benefit Organ Fund, 1st M. E. Church
Admission 25c—50c—75c
Entire Change of Program Second Night.

Berkeley and the State University

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS IN COLLEGE TOWN.

D. S. Adams Appointed Census Marshal and Thomas Stevens and Karl Hendricks Assistants.

BERKELEY, March 18.—At the meeting of the Board of Education last night, the high school students presented a petition signed by a large number of the pupils, asking for a vacation of two weeks instead of one. At the meeting of the board two weeks ago, Principal Biedenbach, of the McKinley school, asked that the public schools be granted a vacation of one week in addition to the week of the teachers' institute. The request was granted. But upon the recommendation of Principal James of the high school that that school was made an exception, and allowed only one week, the week of the institute. This did not conform to ideas of the high school students at all—hence their petition.

When the petition was read last night, Director Weir moved that it be granted. But Director Wickson said that it would be unwise to grant the petition, though he was in favor of extending the time of the vacation. He therefore made a motion to the effect that the high school be given two weeks vacation, the extension of time to be granted without reference to the request of the students. The motion was carried, and the high school students will enjoy a two weeks' cessation from their studies.

The board appointed D. S. Adams census marshal at a salary of $6 a day, and Thomas Stevens and Karl Hendricks as his assistants at a salary of $5 a day each.

WILL SELL TOWN PROPERTY TO IMPROVE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

BERKELEY, March 18.—The Board of Education, at their meeting last night, decided to sell the property belonging to the town on Center street, near the entrance to the university.

The proposal to sell the land was precipitated by Director Little, who said that there was no money in the school treasury for the erection of school buildings, which are badly needed in various portions of the city. He outlined the only methods of raising the necessary funds as being by a bond issue, a direct tax or selling the Center street property, which is now lying idle, except the portion which is occupied by the Commercial school.

Mr. Little stated that the frontage of the lot to the east of the school on Center street is 80 feet, while the piece to the west of the building is 25 feet wide.

"If you decide to sell the land," said Mr. Little, in bringing up the question, "at least $21,000 would be netted by the 105 feet, as the land is easily worth $200 per front foot. The money accruing could be advantageously expended as follows: $3000 is needed for the addition of rooms to the Whittier school in the First ward, and the same amount is necessary for similar improvements on the Lincoln school in the Fifth ward. Two new school buildings should be erected at a cost of $5000 and $6000, respectively, upon the lots belonging to the department, near the Institute for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, and at the corner of Bancroft Way and Grove street.

"During the four years that I have been a member of this board," continued the Director, "I have never asked for a school building or an appropriation for the needs of the Third ward, which is growing more rapidly, perhaps, than any other section of the town."

Director Wickson concurred in the remarks of Director Little regarding the disposition of the Center street property, while Director Donohue declared that his constituents were averse to disposing of valuable school land.

Finally, Clerk Haloney was nistructed to advertise for bids for the property, the stipulations being that bids would be received for 30 days and that no offer of less than $200 per front foot be accepted.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATE RECEIVES PROMOTION

BERKELEY, March 18. — Alexander Gordenker, '01, now a teacher at Maria, in the Philippine Islands, has received the honor of appointment to act as principal of the Normal school of the province of Negros, Oriental, in the Philippines, for the coming summer.

Gordenker graduated a year and a half ago after an undergraduate career, in which he won much distinction as editor of the Occident, and as a contributor to the various students' journals. He received through the university an appointment to the Philippines a year ago. He is now stationed upon an island so small that most maps do not even take the trouble to name it. There are six towns on the island, the population averaging about five thousand each. In every town there is an American teacher, and these six men are the sole representatives of the Caucasian race in their respective towns. The people are extremely primitive, but entirely unrevolutionary and harmless.

Gordenker's school has a daily average attendance of about six hundred. To accommodate them he has had two ramshackle buildings. When he arrived in Maria there were no benches in the school, and the children were all squatting on the floo. He made blackboards himself, he has provided benches and desksk, and a beginning has been made with readers, slates and paper.

Gordenker's teaching staff consists of six assistants. Four of these are boys and girls whom he has picked out of the class. Each receives a salary of five pesos, or nearly $2.00 in gold, monthly. The adult teachers receive fifteen and twenty pesos a month, respectively.

None of the children speak Spanish. The course of study is confined strictly to the four r's. It is extremely difficult for the children to grasp the idea of verb form and tenses, but nouns they learn with some facility. Gordenker's assistants knew no English whatever until he began to teach them. In spite of these difficulties there are now six hundred children in Maria who can say, "Good morneb" at almost any time of the day, and return an answer to such turning questions as "What is your name?" "Where do you live?" "Have you a father?"

Gordenker's best energy has been given to inducing the town presidents to get him carpenters, and then show the carpenters how, where and what he wants to have done. Since he has been at Maria a new school house has been completed, and another repaired.

Charles M. Colton, '01, who went to the Philippines about a year ago on the nomination of the university as a teacher, has recently been appointed chief clerk of the province of Negros Oriental.

PETITION CIRCULATED FOR FIRE TAX.

BERKELEY, March 18.—At the election in April the voters of the town of Berkeley will have an opportunity to decide whether or not they wish to increase the facilities of the Fire Department. Chief Kenny is busy circulating a petition asking the town Board to place before the voters the question of levying a special tax of $10,000, with which to buy fire apparatus and improve the different fire stations. To bring the matter before the voters 300 names must be secured, and as a larger number have already signed the petition, there is no reasonable doubt but what the requisite number of signatures will be secured.

The petition is clear and explicit in its clauses, telling for just what purposes the money, if granted, will be expended. It reads as follows:

"To the Honorable, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley—Gentlemen: The undersigned qualified electors of the town of Berkeley, more than 300 in number, hereby petition your honorable, Board to submit to the qualified electors of said town, at the general municipal election to be held in Berkeley on April 13, 1903, the question whether the Board of Trustees of Berkeley shall be authorized to incur an indebtedness of $10,000, the money to discharge the sum to be raised by special tax, as in the charter of Berkeley provided, the said $10,000 to be used for the following purposes:

"1. $2,500 to construct a house for the Fire Department of Berkeley on the lot of land owned by the town of Berkeley on Regent street.

"2. $2,500 to purchase a suitable lot of land in the First Ward of Berkeley and to construct thereon a house for said Fire Department.

"3. $5,000 to equip the Fire Department of Berkeley."

FOUND NOT GUILTY IN TRIAL FOR BATTERY.

BERKELEY, March 18.—In the trial of Thomas Lockyer, who was arrested for battery on a warranst sworn to by Guy Lewis, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty. The case was tried in Justice Edgar's court yesterday.

READ PAPER BEFORE LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

BERKELEY, March 18.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity Methodist Church, held yesterday, an interesting paper on "Sketches of Life in the South" was read by Mrs. Sherrett.

WILL CELEBRATE ITS FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

BERKELEY, March 18.—Berkeley Rebekah Lodge, No. 262, will celebrate the first anniversary of the founding of the chapter by an entertainment and dance to be given in Unity Hall Tuesday evening, March 31. Preparations for an elaborate program are already under way.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

BERKELEY, March 18.—P. A. Sinsheimer visited Berkeley yesterday.

L. M. Newcomb of Hilgard and Bonte avenues has moved to San Francisco.

Miss Florence Eveleth of San Francisco is the guest of her cousin, Miss Alice Eveleth of this city.

Miss Veda Tervalin gave a card party Saturday to a few friends at her home on Grove street.

Mrs. G. H. Chick has returned to her home on Arch street after a short visit to friends in Sacramento.

John Gazenage of University avenue has recovered from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes of Galesburg, Illinois, who have been spending the winter at the various watering places in California, were visitors in Berkeley yesterday.

Mr. Drill has departed for Portland, Oregon.

G. W. Beckley is visiting friends in Reno, Nev.

Miss Florence Spear is convalescing after her recent illness.

Mrs. G. W. Mott and son of Sacramento are visiting friends in town.

C. C. Gowebeck of 2131 Kittredge street has removed to Ninth avenue. Oak-

MUCH INTEREST IN LIVERMORE WEDDING.

LIVERMORE, March 18.—A great deal of interest is being taken in the approaching nuptials of Alice Maud Mitchel and George W. McIver of this city. The bride prospective is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mitchel. Her father has been the Southern Pacific Company's representative at Livermore for thirty-one years. Mrs. Mitchel, mother of the young lady, was a daughter of the late Euseke Belleau, a pioneer of San Francisco. The family was from Louisiana and occupied a high place in ante-bellum days in the South. Their genealogy runs back to a certain noted Governor of Quebec.

The family is connected by blood relationship with that of the late Dr. John R. Coryell and Mrs. Zoe Christine Belleau Coryell, whose daughter, formerly Miss Eva Corinne Coryell, recently became the wife of Lieutenant John A. Wagner, U. S. A.

Miss Mitchel is a stately blonde, with superb carriage and splendid mental equipment. She has a very large circle of friends in Alameda county and has been the much admired guest at many large social affairs in the bay cities.

At the wedding Miss Mitchel's chief attendant will be her sister, Miss Tottie Mitchel, who is also a charming girl and, like her sister a beauty. The date for the wedding will be soon after Easter.

The groom-to-be is a prominent young business man of Livermore, connected with the large house of Anspacher Bros. He is a leader in National Guard affairs and is very active among many fraternal organizations.

A tunnel to the basement of the State capitol in Jefferson City is all right, but many Kansas City people, especially patrons of the Willis Wood theater, are curious to know what Governor Dockey expects to have at the other end of the tunnel.

Sentimentalists are not a bad folk, but it is not wise to imitate them.

CREWSOME FIND ON ROAD.

BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN DISCOVERED LYING BY ROADSIDE NEAR BERKELEY.

WEST BERKELEY, March 18—John Martinez, a driver for the American Brewing Company, made quite a grewsome find yesterday. While driving along the county road near San Pablo he discovered the dead body of a man, approximately 45 years of age. The body had a large bullet hole in the right temple and the weapon that did the work was laying on the road beside the dead man.

Nothing could be found on the body to give any clue to its identity. The suicide was a man fully six feet tall and weighing in the neighborhood of 175 pounds. He was plainly dressed in a dark suit and wore a cotton negligee shirt. The body was removed to Martinez where an inquest will probably be held.

NOT GUILTY.

Thomas Lockyear, who was arrested at the instance of Guy Lewis and charged with battery, had his hearing before Justice of the Peace Edgar yesterday. The trial was heard by a jury which returned a verdict of not guilty.

PROMISING JOCKEY.

Young Roscoe Coleman has a splendid chance to distinguish himself as a knight of the pig skin. He was born and raised in West Berkeley and lately has won some local renown as a midget jockey. C. T. Patterson, trainer for the Burns and Waterhouse stables, has signed him and will take the boy to New York in the course of a month. Young Coleman began his career as a jockey last season, following the northern circuit and was taught the tricks of the trade by Tony Tuberville.

REPORT GOES TO THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Judge Gray and Carroll D. Wright, president and recorder respectively of the anthracite coal strike commission, to-day handed to President Roosevelt the report of that commission. It is said the report will be made public Saturday.

KILLED BY A FALLING BUILDING.

CINCINNATI, O., March 18.—By the collapse of the roof in Crane's planing mill on Easton avenue today, William Sellers was killed and Harvey Waters was fatally injured. The large building is in course of construction.

MINISTERS MUST PREPARE TO MEET SCIENCE.

President Slocum Delivers Earnest Lecture to Young Students of Theology.

BERKELEY, March 18.—In an earnest lecture before the students of the Pacific Theological Seminary last night President William F. Slocum of the College of Colorado spoke on "The Enlarged Opportunities of the Christian Minister." The lecture took the form of an earnest appeal to the young men perparing for the ministry to prepare themselves thoroughly for their life work. With the advance of scientific learning and research, it is necessary for the minister of to-day to cope with the problems of theology and religion on the intellectual plain of higher education and enlightenment; this was the key-note of the lecture. The speaker was introduced by Dr. J. K. McLean, President of the Seminary.

After a brief introduction President Slocum said in part: "I will say at the outset that I firmly believe that the greatest opportunity of the American pulpit lies before it. The ministry is still the most noble and useful of the professions. But to be successful American ministers we must study the problems of our country. We must know of her resources, and her development.

"As a member of a board of police commissioners and in my work in the ministry I have had occasion to visit the men in jails and prisons, and there I have found that even among these low and morally corrupt persons there is a strong interest taken in the subject of religion. A superintendent of a mine once told me that the rough men in his employ would often speak of the problems of the nature of the Divinity. These men did not live up to any moral belief, far from it. Yet with these and other examples constantly before us, I think we may assume that among all classes of men, from the lowest to the highest, a deep interest is taken in this absorbing subject. Therefore to say that the time has gone by for men to preach theology is foolish.

"Since then there is as I take it, a broader field than ever before for the minister, what are the qualities that are pèerequisite to his success? In the first place the Christian minister must be well prepared for his work. As it is exacted of lawyers, physicians and other professional men that they be well grounded before they pursue their specific branches of research, so of the minister it is expected that he have the broad foundation of a general education before he begins his study of theology. We want men that are trained—thoroughly trained. There are too many poor ministers in the pulpit already. Many young men fail in the ministry, not because they are not earnest, not because they are not workers, but because they are not prepared.

"A breadth of training is required of the successful minister, for he must grapple with the problems born of modern science. He must have the ability to cope with men whose minds have attained great intellectual breadth. I have heard people say that the doctrine of evolution is atheism. But there is no quarrel between religion and science. There is really nothing inconsistent between evolution and Christianity.

"A great many have said that they would remain in the church if they could reconcile the religion to their knowledge. It is the duty of the modern minister to study these problems of evolution, that he may lead such men through the trying of the first glare of the wonderful scientific truth, and to point out to them the harmony between the old religion and the new knowledge. And to do this the minister must be thoroughly trained.

"I am glad to see this Theological school in the shadow of this great university with its courses in philosophy and science. Take advantage of its teachings, its large intellectual growth. Prepare yourselves to cope with the problems that will confront you when you begin active work in the ministry."

MUST BE ON TIME AT THE PLAY.

Owing to the length of the play and the fact that Mr. Gillette does not allow latecomers to disturb those who are already seated when the curtain rises, the management of the Macdonough Theater announce that during Mr. Gillette's engagement in "Sherlock Holmes," the curtain will rise at 8 o'clock precisely, and latecomers will not be seated until the end of the first act. The approaching visit of Mr. Gillette has created wide-spread interest. Indeed, it is safe to say, that no play seen in a long time has created so much talk among theater patrons, and the reception which awaits Mr. Gillette will be of the most enthusiastic possible. He brings with him the entire scenic production and all of the unique electrical effects, and his company will be identical with that seen in New York and in London.

EASTERN WEATHER.

CHICAGO, March 18.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York, 50; Chicago, 56; Minneapolis, 46; Cincinnati, 56; St. Louis, 62.

Too many people try to turn the furrow of life with a poor plow and an unruly team.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, ELMHURST, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

MACCABEES VISIT OAKLAND.

NEWLY ORGANIZED HAYWARDS TENT ROYALLY ENTERTAINED.

HAYWARDS, March 18.—Deputy Grand Commander C. C. Burt established a tent of Maccabees here last week. The new lodge will be known as Hayward Tent Knights of the Maccabees. It was organized with thirty Charter members and the following officers were elected and installed before quite a delegation from the Oakland Lodge and the Maccabees' band: Past Commander, Dr. F. W. Browning; commander, Thomas Gibson; Lieutenant commander, Geo. W. Kavanaugh; record keeper, P. V. Garin, finance keeper; E. C. Perkins; chaplain, N. B. Barree; medical examiner, Dr. F. W. Browning; sergeant, Fred S. Cutler; master-at-arms, N. H. Jensen, first master of the guards, A. G. Allen; second master of the guards, Joseph Goodell; sentinel, W. D. Cull; picket, Joseph Rose.

The new lodge went in a body to visit the Oakland lodge Monday night and were royally entertained and banqueted by their Oakland brethren and witnessed the initiation of candidates. Haywards Tent extended a cordial invitation to visit them and bring their famous degree team and brass band on next Friday night when the local lodge will initiate over forty new members. After the ceremonies they will all march to the Haywards Hotel where a banquet will be served. Hayward Tent will not be long in passing the century mark from present indications.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The Board of Trade are rapidly completing their headquarters and by next week everything will be in readiness to receive exhibits. The board is now composed of all the prominent business and professional men of this place and its officers deserve much credit for good work accomplished in advancing the interests of Haywards and the surrounding country.

The Sunday closing movement has been unanimously endorsed by the Board and there is little doubt that all the merchants will agree to close their places of business on Sundays.

The officers of the Board are: President, Dr. F. W. Browning; first vice-president, George Oakes; second vice-president P. J. Crosby; secretary, G. W. Kavanagh; financial secretary, A. E. Fischer; treasurer, D. Chisholm.

VILLA STARS WANT GAMES.

D. J. Franz, manager of Haywards baseball team, The Villa Stars would like to hear from teams wishing to arrange games for Sundays. Jack Davis, F. J. McCarty, J. J. Smith, Mack Walters, Frank Rose and Dave Smith are some of the players of the Villa Stars.

THREATENED WITH DIPHTHERIA

Miss Mamie Ramage, who is employed in the postoffice here, is very ill. Dr. Reynolds, who is in attendance, at first feared it was a case of diphtheria, but Miss Ramage is now rapidly improving.

presto (better than flour) the kitchen magician

LIBRARY REPORT FROM LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, March 18.—Following is the Free Library report for the month ending March 7, 1903:

Total number of visitors	1640
Daily average	65
Total number of books taken out	1078
Daily average	43

(25 days counted.)

Amount of fines 35c

Donations of books and magazines as follows: California Review, a new magazine published in the interest of the Native Sons and Native Daughters and the Pioneers of California, donated by Las Positas Parlor, N. S. G. W.; Ainslee's, Wide, Wide World and Leslie's Monthly, given by a friend; Report of the Department of the Interior for the year 1902, sent from Washington by Victor H. Metcalf; "Rupert of Hentzau," by Anthony Hope, donated by Mrs Chester.

A miscellaneous lot of paper-bound books and thirteen copies of miscellaneous magazines were donated by Mrs. A. M. Bridge.

The Century Magazine and Harper's Monthly are now on the table, having been subscribed for by the Library Trustees.

MRS. S. J. HARP, Librarian.

PLACED POISON IN HIS BEER.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Jose Leonard is dead at his home in Brooklyn as the result of a dose of chloride of potash administered to him in beer by his wife in mistake for salts.

Mrs. Leonard was arrested but subsequently discharged.

They are saying President Roosevelt has no sense of humor. Maybe, he simply hasn't had a chance to show it since becoming President.—Atlanta Constitution.

SALOON WRECKED AT PLEASANTON

HORSEMEN FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE OF CARRIE NATION AND SMASH THINGS.

PLEASANTON, March 18.—Because they did not want a saloon near the race track to deal out liquor to the stablemen and jockeys, a number of horsemen last Saturday night made a complete wreck of the saloon at the entrance to the race course. They smashed the large front window, emptied the liquor out of the bottles and kegs and ended by overturning the bar.

So complete a wreck did they make of the place that the saloon closed up and has remained closed.

The horsemen claim that a saloon close to the track is harmful to the employes, who are liable to become drunk and unfit for work.

REBEKAH LODGE.

Monday evening the Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge will have a very interesting meeting. There will be initiation of three candidates. The D. D. G. P., Margaret Wales, will visit the lodge, to witness the degree work. A musical program and a banquet will conclude the evening.

ATHLETIC CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Athletic club was held Monday evening. Eleven new applications for membership were received. The handball tournament which is played every Wednesday and Saturday evenings, is interesting and large audiences fill the club room at each game.

PERSONALS.

Miss Ida Harms will entertain the Woman's Aid Society next Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellis returned from the bay cities Monday.

C. L. Griffith returned from San Francisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Near gave a dinner party Sunday to a number of invited friends at their home near the hop yards.

Miss Nellie Stearn was a visitor in the bay cities this week.

Three little grand sons of J. C. McFee are here from San Francisco on a vacation.

JUSTICE DAY BETTER.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Dr. Hardin this morning announced that the progress of Justice Day was entirely satisfactory.

NEW TOWN HALL AT EMERYVILLE.

WORK IS NEARLY FINISHED AND OFFICIALS WILL SOON MOVE IN.

EMERYVILLE, March 18.—The new town hall, of which the residents are justly proud, is nearly completed and will soon be ready for occupancy. The exterior work is all finished and the carpenters are putting the finishing touches on inside. The work of plastering the rooms is likewise nearly done and the woodwork is receiving a coat of varnish. It is thought that the building will be turned over to the town officials inside of a month, all ready for them to move in.

A QUIET DAY.

St. Patrick's day was most quietly observed in Emeryville. There was no celebration of any kind. Many of the men at work on the subway observed the day by taking a holiday but a larger portion of them kept right on at work, evidently preferring to earn a day's wages.

Yesterday was spent by the dredger crew in testing the boiler and getting everything in good running shape and today the dredger is hard at work making up for lost time.

A gang of men are at work on the excavation for the shore end of the subway and are working to meet the dredger. Good progress is also being made by the concrete gang at the new power house.

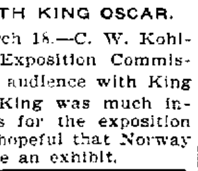
HAD A TALK WITH KING OSCAR.

STOCKHOLM, March 18.—C. W. Kohlsaat, the St. Louis Exposition Commissioner, had a private audience with King Oscar today. The King was much interested in the plans for the exposition and Mr. Kohlsaat is hopeful that Norway and Sweden will make an exhibit.

No Dessert More Attractive

Why use gelatine and spend hours soaking, sweetening, flavoring and coloring when

Jell-O



produces better results in two minutes? Everything in the package. Simply add hot water and set to cool. It's perfection. A surprise to the housewife. No trouble, less expense. Try it to-day. In Four Fruit Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Strawberry, Raspberry. At grocers 10c.

CELEBRATE FOR ST. PATRICK.

MANY RESIDENTS OF GOLDEN GATE ASSEMBLE TO HONOR THE DAY.

GOLDEN GATE, March 18.—The parishioners of St. Columba's church celebrated the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint, St. Patrick, in true Irish style yesterday. The morning ceremonies, which were of a religious nature, took place in St. Columba's church. In the evening a large crowd gathered at Klinkner's Hall on the corner of San Pablo avenue and Fifty-ninth street, where a patriotic program was rendered.

The entertainment was a grand success and thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The program consisted of recitations, songs and speeches, all of which were truly Irish in nature. The affair concluded with a dance which was also conducted in true Irish style.

CHURCH SOCIAL.

The young people of the Golden Gate Presbyterian church are planning to give a social on Friday evening of next week. A good program will be rendered. The affair will be for the benefit of the church.

TO APPEAR ON STAGE.

It is reported that Miss Jean MacDonald is soon to go on the stage. Miss MacDonald has been in charge of a dancing academy here for the past two years.

CALLED AWAY.

Mrs. J. H. McMenomy is in Santa Rosa, having been called there by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Story. The old lady was taken ill with pneumonia and some apprehension is felt by friends for her recovery on account of her advanced age.

VISITING RELATIVES.

Miss Delia Parrish of Calistoga is spending a few days in Golden Gate visiting relatives.

NEW SIDEWALK.

The sidewalk on San Pablo avenue between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets is being paved with cement. This improvement will be greatly welcomed by the residents.

SAYS HUSBAND DESERTED HER.

Complaint in a divorce suit was filed yesterday in the county clerk's office in behalf of Clara M. Paus, who asks for a divorce from her husband, Samuel G. Paus, on the statutory grounds of desertion. The Paus were married in 1895. There are no children or any community property.

SAN LEANDRO FUNERAL.

REMAINS OF MRS. HANORA FARRELL WERE INTERRED YESTERDAY IN OAKLAND.

SAN LEANDRO, March 18.—The funeral of Mrs. Hanora Farrell, who died last Sunday, was held at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning from San Leandro Catholic Church. The remains were interred in St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

RETURNED FROM SAN JOSE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gibbons have returned home after a brief visit to friends in San Jose.

BIG ELEPHANT DIED AT SEA.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The elephant Jingo, said to have been larger than Jumbo, died at sea on the steamer Georgic, which arrived from Liverpool today. An animal show bought Jingo in London. Jingo was 22 years old, 12 feet high, weighed six tons and was valued at $50,000.

MONEY FOR THE ST. LOUIS FAIR.

BERLIN, March 18.—The Reichstag today made the appropriation of $750,000 to cover the expenses of Germany's participation in the St. Louis Exposition.

YOU FEEL SICK

And you wonder what's the matter. Your head aches, you feel tired and nervous, have no appetite and can't sleep. The trouble lies in the stomach. It has become weak and cannot, therefore, do its work properly. Take a dose of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters before each meal. It will restore the appetite, insure perfect digestion and sound sleep and make you feel better. No other Spring medicine is as good. Try a bottle.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

ELECTION AT FRUITVALE.

THREE FIRE COMMISSIONERS TO BE VOTED FOR ON APRIL 6th

FRUITVALE, March 18.—Notice of an election to be held here on Monday April 6th, has been issued by the Board of Fire Commissioners. Three fire commissioners are to be elected in Fire District No. 1.

The following election officers have been appointed: W. C. Allen and Fred Von Duren Jr., inspectors, and C. A. Jeffress, Judge.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain unclaimed at Fruitvale P. O.: Mrs. Anna Engberg, Mrs. W. D. Johnston, Mrs. Marie Wolmstrom, Miss Helen Kerr, Basilio Gilmini, S. G. McCarty, W. Paul Jr., Y. Yamiguchi.

NEW IMPROVEMENTS.

Alfred Robinson, proprietor of the Garden Meat Market, is making extensive improvements in his place of business and when finished he will have a strictly up-to-date market.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

I Shall Sell Daily

From 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., until sold, Johnson's furniture moved to our store for convenience of sale. H. Schellhaas, the Reliable Dealer, Corner Store, Eleventh street.

Piedmont Baths.

First-class Turkish and Hamman Baths. Finest service on the Coast; experienced attendants. Also swimming tank for ladies and gentlemen. Take Piedmont car to Twenty-fourth street.

Dr. Wong Him

The famous Herb Doctor for 4 years past at 115-117 Mason street, San Francisco, has removed to 667 Geary, near Leavenworth. Treats all diseases of the human body. Testimonials at office.

Do Not Get Left!

Corner Eleventh and Franklin streets is the place to buy furniture for cash or on payments if so desired. See H. Schellhaas.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO HAVE ANOTHER WEEK.

Board Grants Them an Extension of Vacation—Census Marshals Are Appointed.

A great deal of interest is being taken in the game of association football which is to be played next Saturday on the Stanford University grounds between the American-British Rifles and an eleven selected from the players in the California League. After this contest is played off, there will be another game in San Francisco, probably about April 5th, and then association football will be put on the shelf until next season.

Captain Williamson of the Rifles says that he will hold his team together until after the last contest of the season and then the players will disband to scatter about the face of the earth. Churchill, the wonderful left wing, leaves for China; Shaud, of the long legs and clever at center, is to take up ranching at Santa Rosa; Connolly, who made a reputation at right, is going to Mexico and then to England but will be back here in time to participate in the games next season. Several others have announced their intentions of going abroad, but all have expressed a desire to play in the last game of the season when the Vampires will be their opponents.

Followers of the game who desire to see the battle next Saturday can obtain train rates and all particulars by communicating with Edgar Pomeroy, 735 Telegraph avenue. Special arrangements have been made with the railroad company for reduced rates and no doubt a large crowd will go down from the bay cities to witness the contest.

Laying aside any unforseen circumstance the teams will line up in the following order:

Rifles—Williamson, goal; Ferrest, L. F. B.; Hodge, R. F. B.; Chambers, C. H.; Pomeroy, L. H.; Bird, R. H.; Shaud, C. F.; Lydon, O. L.; Leaky, I. L.; Connolly, O. R.; McKay, I. R.

Rest of League—Forbes (L.); Johns (A.); Richardson (V.), Robertson (A); Buckley (V.); Harwood (V.); Winding (V.); Fay (V.); Hooker (A.); Owens (I.); Showell (V.)

FORBES AND NEIL TO MEET AGAIN.

WILL DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP IN A TEN-ROUND GO AT DETROIT IN JUNE.

Frankie Neil will have another chance to try for the bantam-weight championship and at the same time deposit Harry Forbes in the graveyard, for he has agreed to meet Forbes in a ten-round bout at Detroit, Michigan. The proposition came from William Considine and is a straight percentage plan. Weight and terms are to be left to the little fellows, but as Neil insists that the match be for the championship, the weight of course will be limited to the bantam team.

Now just what the bantam limit is will probably cause considerable passing of talk between the managers of the two pugilists. Hertz insists that 116 pounds at 3 o'clock is the Eastern understanding of the weight, while the people living in this climate claim that a pound less is the proper limit.

It is probable that the bout will be pulled off some time in June. Neil is willing to fight at that moment and it has been printed that Forbes likes that month.

It is too bad that a limit of ten rounds has to be placed in the mill, as Jim Neil says that his boy is good for a distance and improves the longer he stays in the ring.

If there is a club about the bay wanting a pair of fighters the same can be furnished them for Tory Irwin and Kid Parker have signed articles for a match and are waiting for a bid. These two have been after each other for a long time and it is good news to hear that they have agreed to punish each other.

Jack Johnson, who is at present visiting a sick uncle in Chicago, has received word from his manager, Mark Shaughnessy, that the Portland Club wants him to fight Kid Carter. Transportation has been sent the colored fighter, but he hates to leave the bedside of his uncle who is very rich and very sick. If John agrees to the mill, however, the men will meet some time in April.

In case Johnson does not meet Carter then Tom Reilly will step in and take a punch. The latter will only fight on condition that the Kid weighs 160 pounds or under.

MORLEY PLANS A BIG OPENING DAY.

WILL OPEN THE BALL SEASON IN LOS ANGELES WITH GREAT GLORY.

Manager Morley of the Los Angeles aggregation of baseball artists is making one grand plan for the opening day of the Pacific Coast League in his burg on Thursday, March 26th.

Many hand bills announcing the great event are being struck off and the fences in the Southern town are covered with posters telling of Morley's marvels.

There will be a grand street parade in the morning in which the full strength of the company will show. The procession will be headed by the Los Angeles and Seattle teams and a brass band of forty pieces.

Mayor Snyder will start the game by pitching a brand new ball over the plate and then to close the day Morley will set off a bundle of fireworks.

Captain Charles Reilly, who has the handling of the opposition club in Los Angeles, left Monday for Denver and on his return, the last of this week, he will give out the names of the players who will constitute the Los Angeles team. He says that he has six men on his list. The playing schedule of the opposition league will be issued the first week in April.

presto (better than flour) the kitchen magician

MRS. BOB FITZSIMMONS HAS COIN.

DEPOSITS A CHECK THAT HER HUSBAND WILL FIGHT WITH JACK O'BRIEN.

To all appearances Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons handles the cash for the family for she has come to the front with a check for $5000 to bind a match between her husband and Philadelphia Jack O'Brien. The check, which is certified, has been deposited with Al Smith of New York and he has acknowledged the receipt of the same.

O'Brien has been notified of Mrs. Fitzsimmons' action and in the minds of the sporting people it is up to him to come back with a like check and the match is as good as made.

Under the agreement proceeding the challenge of O'Brien, the match will have to take place in California before the club offering the best purse.

TERRY M'GOVERN LETS UP ON WORK.

HIS KEEPERS FEARFUL THAT HE MIGHT GO STALE IF TRAINING ALL THE TIME.

Abe Attel said that he was willing to fight Billy DeCoursey, the latter heard him and now the pair are waiting for a club to bid for the battle. Correspondence has been opened with a Portland club and another at Los Angeles and it is thought that either will schedule the fight for next month. DeCoursey has whipped Solly Smith and other notables and would prove a good drawing card with Attel, whose reputation is well established.

From now on Terry McGovern will not take so much hard work in his training. He has been ordered to let up materially in his training for the reason that he is taking on a jaded, worn look that does not appeal to his trainers. He is now well under weight and there is danger that he might take off that keen edge necessary for a fight.

To hear Terry tell it he was in never better condition and insists that he is in the prime for a fight. Terry is anxious to greet his brother, Hugh, who will leave New York tonight for this coast. The brothers are great friends and often work out together while one is training for a contest.

For some reason or other "Young Corbett" says that he knows that he will be on the short end of the betting in his coming fight with McGovern. While he has no reason to give for his statement he recently made a small bet that when the pencil men put out their figures he will be going to the post on the short end of ten to eight.

Corbett has a big man to box with in the person of Moxey Kane, who put away all the middleweights in Manila, and who has but recently returned from the islands.

As yet no names have been proposed for referee for the McGovern-Corbett contest, but it is pretty generally understood that Eddie Graney will be the third busy man in the ring.

M'GOVERN LEAVES FOR CALIFORNIA.

COMES OUT HERE WITH HARRIS LOOKING FOR A MATCH WITH ANYBODY.

There is soon to be another member of the McGovern fighting family on this coast for word has been received here that Hugh McGovern and Sam Harris will leave New York tonight for San Francisco.

Sam Harris is manager of both the McGovern boys and it is largely his purpose in coming out here to see that Terry conducts his last days of training properly.

But the main object of Hugh's coming to this coast is to get a fight with some promising youngster. While his reputation as a fighter has not been established so high as that of his brother, Hugh is a formidable opponent and worthy of the best in the game.

PETER BOHLAND OUT FOR A MATCH.

Peter Bohland dropped into town yesterday and is looking for a match with some local wrestler. He is willing to work on the mat for a purse or will struggle for a side bet of from $25 to $50. His style is catch-as-catch-can and his weight is about 140 pounds.

According to his record he has struggled with the best in the business. He is a recent arrival from the East, where he has met such men as Max Wiely, D. Gallagher, Edward Conly and the Frenchman, Otto Bourbon. The first named wrestled with Bohland for an hour and fifteen minutes and the match was declared a draw. The last named he has defeated.

He is willing to meet any local wrestler at his weight and style. Challenges may be sent to this office.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AT EMERYVILLE.

The following is a summary of results yesterday at Emeryville:

First race, seven furlongs—Sol Lichtenstein 5, won; Marineuse 5, second. The starters were Arthur Ray, All About, Chateau, Fondo Rasp, Handpress, Formero. Time, 1:30.

Second race, one mile—Canejo, 11 to 10, won; Azarine 5, second; Pirate Maid, 7, third. The other starters were Mullah, Sterling Towers, Louwelsea. Time, 1:46.

Third race, four furlongs—Ravalena, 7, won; Queen Madrid 2, second; Amberita, 20, third. The other starters were Lady Laurie, Miss Betty Maroma, Pachuca, Lilbite Candid. Time, :50¾.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Deutchland, 5 to 2, won; Princess Hitania, 2, second; Lady Kent, 16, third. The other starters were Watercure, Matt Hogan. Time, 1:16.

Fifth race, one mile and 70 yards—Sea Lion, 9 to 2 won; Greyfeld, 8 to 5, second; Pat Morrissey, 30, third. The other starters were I. O. U., Mission, Nat Goodwin, Glissando, Seevolio. Time, 1:48½.

Sixth race, six and one-half furlongs—Warte Nicht, 5, won; Byronerdale, 11 to 5, second, Swift Wing, 16, third. The other starters were Iras, Mexicana. Time, 1:23.

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT EMERYTILLE.

The entries for today's races at Emeryville are as follows:

First race, seven-eighths of a mile; selling; three-year-olds and upward—Miss Remsen 103, Buck Taylor 105, Ingo 102, Indina 59, Escarole 84, The Singer 105, Mission 105, Legal Maxim 102, Hutch Miller 105, Dagmar 105, Lensch 84, Pirate Maid 105, Sen. Beveridge 118, Dark Secret 105.

Second race, five and a half furlongs; four-year-olds and upward—Doublet 106, Cambaceras 101, Hipponax 113, Hercules 106, Dora I. 109, Montoya 102, Mildred Schultz 104, Roltaire 106, Ragtaira 108, Ragnarock 101, Father Wentker 105, Alaria 104, Florinel II 110.

Third race, six and a half furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and upward—J. H. Bennett 94, Lady Gallantry 87, Yellowstone 108, Horatius 97, Tommie Knight 92, Stunts 96, San Lution 105, Master 89, Modicum 97, Tyranus 105, John Lemons 97, Spindle 108, Maraschino 105, Montana Peeress 98.

Fourth race, one and a quarter miles; selling; four-year-olds and upward—Bonnie Lissak 104, Goldone 104, Tulare 94, Filibuster 99, Tufts 87, Oriana 106.

Fifth race, one mile and fifty yards; selling; four-year-olds and upward—Barklyite 11, Bard Burns 100, Antolee 110, Ben Mac Dhulo 112, Mechanus 109.

Sixth race, six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and upward—Muresca 96, Sweet Tooth 108, Onyx II 106, Tower of Candles 104, Veterano 90.

MERCHANTS HOLD THEIR MEETING.

The Merchants Exchange last night decided to send a committee to Sacramento to prevail upon Governor Pardee to sign the Mutual Insurance, Pure Food and Garnishement Bills recently passed by the State Legislature. The Exchange has taken much interest in these bills and was instrumental in securing their passage.

Secretary Wilbur Walker reported that there was nearly $7000 collected on the subscriptions to the Inter-County Tunnel Fund. This money is in bank and it is at the disposal of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County whenever they call for it. The subscriptions are coming in at the rate of about $100 per day.

A letter was received from George T. Forsyth of the Southern Pacific urging the Merchants Exchange to continue its efforts to induce emigration to this State from the Eastern States.

APPRAISERS APPOINTED.

Frederick Duhring, Warring Wilkinson and Wm. Caldwell have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late Chas. T. Wilkinson.

SUED FOR A DIVORCE.

Florence A. Halleck has sued William A. Halleck for a divorce on the ground of cruelty.

YOU CAN INTEREST HIM.

Any Man Over Fifty.

You can interest any man over fifty years of age in anything that will make him feel better, because while he may not as yet have any positive organic disease he no longer feels the buoyancy and vigor of twenty-five nor the freedom from aches and pains he enjoyed in earlier years, and he very naturally examines with interest any proposition looking to the improvement and preservation of his health.

He will notice among other things that the stomach of fifty is a very different one from the stomach he possessed at twenty-five. That greatest care must be exercised as to what is eaten and how much of it, and even with the best of care, there will be increased digestive weakness with advancing years.

A proposition to perfect or improve the digestion and assimulation of food is one which interests not only every man of fifty, but every man, woman and child of any age, because the whole secret of good health, good blood, strong nerves, is to have a stomach which will promptly and thoroughly digest wholesome food, because blood, nerves, brain tissue and every other constituent of the body is entirely the product of digestion, and no medicine or "health" food can possibly create pure blood or restore shaky nerves, when a weak stomach is replenishing the daily wear and tear of the body from a mass of fermenting half digested food.

No, the stomach itself wants help and in no round about way either; it wants direct, unmistakable assistance, such as is given by one or two Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal.

These tablets cure stomach trouble because their use give the stomach a chance to rest and recuperate; one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contains digestive elements sufficient to digest 3000 grains of ordinary food, such as bread, meat, eggs, etc.

The plan of dieting is simply another name for starvation, and the use of prepared foods and new fangled breakfast foods simply makes matters worse, as any dyspeptic who has tried them knows.

As Dr. Bennett says, the only reason I can imagine why Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not universally used by everybody who is troubled in any way with poor digestion is because many people seem to think that because a medicine is advertised or is sold in drug stores or is protected by a trade mark must be a humbug, whereas, as a matter of truth, any druggist who is observant knows that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have cured more people of indigestion, heart burn, heart trouble, nervous prostration and run down condition generally than all the patent medicines and doctors' prescriptions for stomach trouble combined.

HE SAW COIN SACKS.

Ellis Gives Very Strong Testimony Against Dimmick.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—For two hours this morning the lawyer who is defending Walter Dimmick plied all his wits to destroy the force of a night watchman's testimony, that he had seen Dimmick carry two sacks of gold coin from the United States Mint vault to the cashier's office in the then emerge soon after, carrying a dress suit case, under the weight of which he staggered visibly. These events, the watchman declared, occurred tat midnight on March 18, 1901.

Silas P. Ellis is the watchman's name. He has been in politics for a great many years, holding subordinate positions in public institutions. Dimmick was his superior officer in the United States Mint.

"Did you believe," said Attorney Collins today, in Judge De Haven's court, "that the sacks of coin you saw Dimmick carry, at midnight, from the vault to the office, were in the dress suit case he carried with him from the building later?"

"I did," replied the watchman.

"You declare that his shoulders drooped under the load in the suit case?"

"I do."

"Did you report this extraordinary occurrence to the Mint officials?"

"I did not until in July, 1901," replied Ellis.

"Did you believe Dimmick was stealing the money?"

"I did not know for what purpose he was taking it from the building. If it was contained in the dress suit case," answered the watchman.

"When Dimmick carried the canvas sacks of coin from the vault did he see you?"

"Yes, I sat there in a chair, and he looked at me as he passed."

"Did he say anything?"

"Nothing," replied Ellis.

"He did not hurry with the coin unduly?"

"No."

Under cross-examination Ellis described his occupation during the past thirty years. Much of the time he held political positions. For two years he peddled fruit in Oakland. Twice, to use his own words, he was "fired" from the government service. No cause was alleged or inquired into by the counsel in cross-examination.

"Did you ever leave the government service voluntarily?" asked Attorney Collins.

"Never," answered Ellis.

A titter went around the courtroom, and Judge De Haven indulged in the judicial frown.

Ellis told of having seen Dimmick carry a dress suit case from the mint in February of the same year. At that time no such incidents occurred in connection with the carrying of the case as marked the affair at midnight on March 18.

HEAVY SNOWFALL IN LONDON.

LONDON, March 18.—The heaviest snowfall of the present winter was reported from parts of England to-day. Rain and hail fell elsewhere in Great Britain and Ireland, accompanied by gales and causing floods and thousands of acres of farmlands were submerged several feet by the breaking of the sea walls and hundreds of families had to flee.

In the northwest part of Warwickshire, several villages were inundated and cut off from communication with the neighboring towns.

POLITICAL EQUALITY CLUB.

The Fourth Ward Political Equality Club will meet at Dr. Fenton's, 672 Fourteenth street, Thursday evening, March 19th. Mrs. Benjamin Fay Mills will address the club. Her subject is "The Mainspring of Reform." All who feel interested in Woman's work for reform and her political equality before the law, are cordially invited to be present.

SEISMIC SHOCKS.

HELENA, Montana, March 18—Seismic shocks that occurred in this vicinity Monday night did considerable damage to Montana's new State house. Three great pillars in the rotunda of the capitol were cracked by the earthquakes, which did no damage to other buildings so far as known.

FINES FOR GAMBLERS

TACOMA, Wash., March 18.—No monthly fines will be collected from the gamblers in Tacoma on March 20. They were so notified by the police last night. It means the closing down of open gambling for the first time in the history of Tacoma. Gambling fines in Tacoma last year amounted to $30,000. The order includes slot machines.

VISITORS AT SAN JOSE.

SAN JOSE, March 18.—Three hundred visitors from Utah, including the the Mormon choir, invaded San Jose to-day. This afternoon they thronged the street cars and emptied the livery stables. Tonight the party leaves for the Big Trees.

WITHDREW NOMINATION.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The following statement was given out at the White House:

"In view of the investigations being made by the Treasury Department, the President has felt obliged to withdraw the nomination of William Plimley for assistant treasurer of the United States at New York and this has been done."

AMES PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 18.—Dr. A. Ames, former Mayor of Minneapolis, pleaded not guilty to all the seven indictments against him, charging bribery, conspiracy and extortion in the District Court today and bail was fixed at $18,000. He has four days in which to secure bondsmen.

REFERRED TO COUNCIL.

The Police and Fire Commissioners met this afternoon and referred the new police rules and regulations to the City Council.

FETCHING HATS ADMIRED.

MANY WOMEN ATTEND THE ABRAHAMSON SPRING OPENING.

The millinery department of the large store of Abrahamson Brothers at Thirteenth and Washington streets presented a beautiful, as well as busy, appearance today, the occasion being the spring opening. All day long there was a throng of people in the spacious rooms, inspecting, admiring and purchasing the new imported and domestic millinery.

For some time the department has been closed to allow many needed alterations to be made and now it is, perhaps, the most completely equipped concern of its character to be found on the Pacific Coast. It has been increased to twice its former size and carries twice its former stock. It has been newly carpeted, new cases have been made — at the opening today it was handsomely decorated with flowers and foliage.

To gain any idea of the size of the stock and of the pattern hats and imported walking hats and hats of every description a visit to the store would be necessary. Miss Smith, the superintendent, and her large force of young lady assistants take a special delight in showing the stock and the former has issued a cordial invitation to both old customers and strangers to call and inspect the many marvels of the milliner's art. There are several tables of fashionable maline hats, which were admired by the customers today, and everything in the way of novelty in millinery is now at hand. Besides, new goods will be constantly arriving throughout the season.

Among the striking creations was a French pattern hat of jet lace over accordion pleated maline. The crown was of crushed pink roses veiled with accordion pleated maline. There were long streamers of black velvet and a large steel ornament.

Another was a royal blue straw and green maline woven into lattice work, trimmed with large blue velvet marguerites. Rosettes of green ribbon formed a striking contrast. This was also imported, as were many of the other hats exhibited.

In the line of domestic goods there was one of remarkably fine workmanship, showing that the accomplished young women employed by Abrahamson Brothers can turn out work that compares favorably with that of their sisters in the East and Europe.

This hat was a study in pink. It was of folded pink chiffon with a simple bow of pink ribbon and was their own pattern.

Then there was a beautiful forget-me-not hat, made entirely of the flowers and stems; an imported black jet and maline turban, with black aigrettes on the crown and faced with black and white cowslips; a white silk hat with black appliqué crown and brim, finished with a long white plume; a swell imported walking hat, a Kathryn Louise in straw, with a black feather; a full line of imported walking shapes and many others. There were small hats and large hats and medium-sized hats—hats to suit all faces.

The two show windows devoted to millinery attracted many admiring women during the day. The color scheme of one was red and the other blue, those being the colors of the season.

GIRLS RELEASED FROM CITY PRISON.

Blanche Miller and Grace Tiegler, who were lured from their homes in Chicago by two Italians and who were arrested with their companions on March 2nd for stealing, were released by Chief Hodgkins this afternoon. They had been confined in prison for sixteen days without a charge being placed against them.

The girls were turned over to Miss Whitney, who has found situations for both of them.

WOULD SEVER MARRIAGE BONDS.

John E. Anderson has asked the court for a legal separation from his wife, Louise M. Anderson, on the grounds of desertion. Papers beginning an action for divorce were filed in his behalf with the County Clerk today. There are no children and no community property. They were married in 1899.

The preliminary steps were taken this morning towards securing a divorce for Mrs. Sarah A. Marcus, who wishes a separation from her husband, Frank M. Marcus, on the ground of desertion.

Ehrich Wiedemann has asked for a divorce from his wife, Magdelena Wiedemann, whom he accuses of having deserted him for another in 898. Wiedemann is a butcher and works in a Third street shop.

EAST OAKLAND DENTIST SUMMONED BY DEATH.

Dr. J. B. Learn, a dentist, who was recently released from an asylum for the insane, died last night at his home in East Oakland.

Deceased was a native of Pennsylvania and was 68 years old.

CONTEST DISMISSED.

The contest over the election of Public Administrator George Gray, instituted by J. J. White, Union Labor candidate for the same office, was dismissed today.

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MANY TOURISTS COMING.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY BRING THOUSANDS TO THIS STATE WITH LOW RATES.

Since the innovation of the reduced rate to colonists by the Southern Pacific Company four weeks ago, there has been nearly 12,000 persons who have taken advantage of the low rate to come to California and the majority of these are settlers looking for homes. The rate was made extremely low to permit all classes to come to this State. It went into effect on February 15th, and will continue until June 15th, and it is estimated that if the present ratio should be kept up, it will bring about 45,000 colonists into this State during that time of four months.

The Southern Pacific Company has kept count of the numbers at Ogden on the Central route and at El Paso on the Southern route, as they came day by day. The following table shows the number during last week and the way they traveled:

Date—	Ogden.	El Paso.	Total.
March 8	172	413	585
March 9	167	63	230
March 10	182	128	310
March 11	120	36	156
March 12	158	96	254
March 13	222	178	400
March 14	141	151	292
Totals	1,162	1,065	2,227

It will be seen that nearly as many came by the way of El Paso as by Ogden and indicates that many of the settlers come from south of the Mason and Dixon line. In former years very few colonists came to California by the El Paso route.

It is quite evident by this that the railroad company is booming California in the south and inducing the southerners to cast their futures in California.

Never before has there been such a pilgrimage of colonists to this State, and the success of their efforts is a source of a very gratifying surprise to the Southern Pacific Company.

MACHINE SHOPS ARE FULL OF WORK.

These are busy days at the machine shops and the large force of men now at work are kept rushing to keep up with the work coming in. There are quite a number of engines in the shops being over hauled and the whole shop presents a scene of the greatest activity.

Engine No. 3002, one of the giant engines of the Atlantic type is among the latest arrivals at the machine shop. She is in for a general overhauling and will be converted into an oil burner. In fact every engine burning coal is being converted into oil burning machines as fast as they come in and in a short time coal burning engines will be a curiosity on the Pacific coast.

EMPLOYE HIT BY FLYING WRENCH.

Joe Dias, a Portuguese, employed in the wrecking department received a very painful wound that will lay him up for several days. He was engaged in loosening some old machinery and in some unaccountable way the wrench flew up striking him just above the eyes, inflicting an ugly cut. He was taken to the hospital where the wound was cared for and it will be several days before he will be able to resume work.

NOTES AND PERSONALS GATHERED ABOUT THE YARDS.

General foreman D. P. Kellogg is away on a tour of inspection and will be gone for two or three days. His itinerary takes in the repair shops at Vallejo and along the line to Tracy.

Foreman William Cooper of the Marine Boiler Makers has a gang of men at work overhauling the boilers on the steamer Encinal.

Clyde Patterson of the round house department is in San Francisco having been called there by the death of his aunt.

C. G. Burke and Alex. McKellar have gone to Point Richmond where they are engaged in welding frames by the oil process. Both men are quite experienced in this line of work and were sent for by the Santa Fe.

A gang of workmen have gone to Port Costa where they will give the boilers at the coal bunkers a thorough overhauling.

Foreman Alex. Greary of the road gang had the great misfortune to lose two of his children from diphtheria. They were three and five years of age, and were buried on Monday.

Engine No. 1904 of the Seventh street local is in the shops for a general overhauling.

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Leave.	From January 15, 1903.	Arrive.
7:34 a	Vacaville, Winters, Rumsey	7:15 p
7:34 a	Benicia, Suisun, Sacramento	6:39 p
8:04 a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:44 a
8:37 a	Davis, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville and Oroville	7:15 p
6:37 a	Atlantic Express, Ogden, and the East	6:29 a
9:10 a	Shasta Express for Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, via Woodland and Willows	7:15 p
10:48 a	Los Angeles Express—Martinez, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	7:44 a
10:48 a	Vallejo	7:44 a
9:31 a	Vallejo, Martinez and way stations	6:13 p
10:36 a	The Overland Limited, Ogden, Omaha, Chicago	5:31 p
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez, San Ramon	8:45 p
4:02 p	Benicia, Winters, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:04 a
5:35 p	Port Costa, Tracy, Lathrop, Stockton, Fresno, Bakersfield	4:30 p
5:35 p	The Owl Limited, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	8:14 a
11:25 p	Martinez, Stockton, Merced, Fresno, Bakersfield	12:34 a
6:38 p	Orient Mail, Ogden, Cheyenne, Denver, Omaha, St. Louis, and Chicago	5:37 p
6:38 p	Vallejo (Sunday excepted)	10:44 a
8:44 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and the East	8:03 a
7:33 p	San Pablo, Port Costa, Martinez and way stations	10:44 a
‖7:33 p	Vallejo	10:44 a

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8:00 a	Niles, Lathrop, Stockton	6:38 p
8:00 a	Niles, Newhalls, Fresno, Hanford, Visalia, Porterville (returning train arrives 16th Street Depot)	4:39 p
9:10 a	Niles, San Jose, Lathrop, Stockton, Lodi and Sacramento	3:37 p
9:10 a	Oakdale, Chinese, Jamestown, Sonora, Carters	3:37 p
12:34 p	Haywards, Niles and way stations	2:37 p
4:04 p	Haywards, Niles and way stations	7:04 p
4:39 p	Niles, Livermore, Stockton, Lodi, return via Martinez, and arrives at 16th Street Depot	12:34 a
5:10 p	Livermore, San Jose and way stations	‖11:06 a
		*8:07 a
‖6:07 p	San Leandro, Haywards	‖10:02 a
6:39 p	Niles, San Jose	6:41 a
‖9:44 p		‖11:06 a

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6:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz	5:44 p
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4:15 p	Newark, San Jose, Los Gatos	*8:44 a
7:45 a	Sundays only—Santa Cruz Excursion	7:50 p

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Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Helen Theodosia Hume, Chauncy Paul Hume and Edith Agnes Hume, minors.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the Court from the verified petition of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, a corporation, the guardian of the estates of said minors, filed this day, that it would be beneficial to the said minors, and to each of them, and for the benefit of their estates, that the real estate described in said petition be sold,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the next of kin of said wards, to-wit: Sarah H. R. Hume, the mother of said minors, and Sarah H. Macbeth, the grandmother of said minors, and all persons interested in the estates of said minors, appear before this Court at its Court Room in the Court House of the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of Monday, the 13th day of April, 1903, then and there to show cause, if any they or any of them have, why an order for the sale of the real estate described in said petition should not be granted.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this order be published at least three successive weeks before the said day of hearing in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, said State.

Dated March 7th, 1903.

S. P. HALL,
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March 29—Swedish-American Political Club of Alameda County.

April 5—Bartenders' Union No. 41 of San Francisco.

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$1,800—New, modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath, mantel, stationary wash tubs; lot 35x100; 1 block from station; terms, $21.60 (no cash payment down).

$1,800—House of 6 rooms and bath, oak mantel and fire place; lot 35x100; 2 blocks from Fruitvale station; $300 cash, balance $18 per month.

$2,250—New modern cottage of 5 rooms and bath; mantel; electric lights; corner lot, 37.6x105; 5 blocks from station; 2 blocks from car line; 1 block from school; terms if desired.

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(Official.)

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, March 16, 1903.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock a. m., all members being present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved with alterations.

APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

The following made applications for relief, as follows:

Louisa Sandsten, age 74, 2162 Railroad avenue, Alameda.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

Guadalupe Dore, age 78, Livermore.

Referred to Supervisor Horner.

Elizabeth Cousins, age 54, 370 East Eleventh street.

Referred to Supervisor Rowe.

Mary Spear, age 43, 1860 Fifth street.

Referred to Supervisor Mitchell.

Nellie Craig, age 33, 460½ Ninth street.

Referred to Supervisor Kelley.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports of County and Township officers were read and ordered filed:

W. B. Bridge, road foreman Fruitvale Road District from Feb. 1st to Feb 28, 1903.

J. Heimbold, road foreman Claremont Road District from Jan. 24 to Feb. 11, 1903.

J. Heimbold, road foreman Claremont Road District from Feb. 1 to March 1, 1903.

J. Hansen, road foreman Dublin Road District from Feb. 1, to March 1, 1903.

John Dugan, road foreman Newark Road District from Feb. 1, to March 1, 1903.

APPLICATIONS FOR CREDITS.

The following made applications for credits, viz:

Patrick Maloney, so that his term would expire March 16, instead of March 29.

Wm. Downing, so that his term would expire March 1-, instead of March 31st.

George Brown, so that his term would expire March 15 instead of March 31st.

James White, so that his term would expire March 16, instead of March 31st.

Frank Sipes, so that his term would expire March 16, instead of March 31st.

The recommendation of the jailor being favorable in each instance, on motion of Supervisor Horner, seconded by Supervisor Kelley the requests were granted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

REQUISITIONS.

The following requisitions were received, viz:

H. A. Clark, jailor, for supplies.

Henry P. Dalton, Assessor, for stationery.

James B. Barber, Tax Collector, for stationery.

Referred to Building Committee.

APPLICATIONS FOR LIQUOR LICENSES.

Christian Warren of Bay View, Oakland Township, made application for a liquor license.

The application being correct in form and with the requisite number of signatures, was ordered filed and referred to the Judiciary, License and Printing Committee, hearing on same being set for Monday, April 6, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., necessary publication being directed to be made in the Berkeley Gazette.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY, PRINTING AND LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The Judiciary, Printing and License Committee, to whom had been referred the applications for liquor license of J. S. Nunes and M. S. Amaral Jr., Centerville, Adam Kraft, Brooklyn Township, Antone Martin, Newark, and Gallus Schmidt, Niles, presented their reports recommending in each instance that the permits be granted. Affidavits of due publication of notices of hearing having been filed and bonds approved, appropriate resolutions were thereupon introduced granting to each of said applicants permits to obtain licenses for the sale of liquors, and on motion of Supervisor Horner, seconded by Supervisor Talcott, adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION OF MACDONALD FRANCHISE.

Affidavit of publication of Oakland Tribune in the matter of the application of J. H. Macdonald for street railway franchise in Oakland Township was presented and ordered filed.

APPOINTMENTS OF CONSTABLES FOR OAKLAND AND EDEN TOWNSHIPS.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Kelley:

Whereas, Under the provision of an Act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an act, entitled "An Act to establish a uniform system of County and Township Governments," approved April 1st, 1897, and as amended March 23, 1901, relating to the officers of a Township, approved March 12, 1903, Oakland Township is entitled to two Constables, Therefore be it

Resolved, That H. T. Hempstead be and he is hereby appointed a Constable in and for said Oakland Township under and in accordance with the provisions of said act, his bond being fixed in the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars.

On motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

Petitions were presented for appointment of Joseph M. Olimpia and Dawson D. Gates as Constable of Eden Townships and ordered filed.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Talcott:

Whereas, Under the provisions of an Act to amend section fifty-six (56) of an Act entitled "An Act to establish a uniform system of County and Township Governments," approved April 1st, 1897, and as amended March 23d, 1901, relating to the officers of a Township, approved March 12, 1903, Eden Township is entitled to two Constables, Therefore be it

Resolved, That Joseph M. Olimpia be and he is hereby appointed a Constable in and for said Eden Township under and in accordance with the provisions of said Act, his bond being fixed in the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars.

On motion of Supervisor Talcott, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

APPOINTMENT OF JANITOR HALL OF RECORDS.

The resignation of H. T. Hempstead as janitor of Hall of Records was presented, and on motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Horner, adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Kelley;

Resolved That Noble Davis be and he is hereby appointed as janitor of the Hall of Records; vice H. T. Hempstead resigned, at a salary of eighty-five ($85.00) dollars per month, to hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

On motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

PETITION OF E. L. BLACKMAN FOR SPUR TRACK ACROSS FULTON AVENUE.

A petition was received from E. L. Blackman requesting permission to maintain a spur track across Fulton avenue in Brooklyn Township; in which matter Supervisor Talcott offered the following resolution:

In the matter of the petition of E. L. Blackman for permission to construct and maintain a spur railway track.

Whereas, E. L. Blackman has this day filed with this Board a request for certain privileges set forth in said petition. Therefore be it

Resolved, That said E. L. Blackman be granted permission to lay a spur track across Fulton avenue in Brooklyn Township under the express condition that said track shall be maintained across the highway in said petition and application mentioned in such a manner as not to interfere with the free use and enjoyment of said highway at the point crossed by said spur track shall be kept and maintained by said Blackman free from obstruction by any cars or rolling stock that may be employed upon said spur track; and that no cars or rolling stock shall be left standing across said roads or highways; that should said spur track ceased to be used by said Blackman, said Blackman shall upon notice from the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, remove said spur track from said highways and leave said highways at the places crossed by said spur track in as good condition as they were at the time just preceding the placing of said spur track across said highways and equal to the condition of said highway at the time said track may be removed and under the express condition that said track is to be maintained upon said highway during such time only as said Board of Supervisors shall think proper, said track to be laid to the satisfaction of the County Surveyor and the Board of Supervisors.

On motion of Supervisor Talcott, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe and Talcott—4.

Absent—Chairman Mitchell—1.

ADJOURNMENT.

Thereupon the Board adjourned to meet Monday, March 23, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOHN MITCHELL,
Chairman.

Attest: JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

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Estate of James Hambleton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Eliza Sophia Hambleton, administratrix of the estate of James Hambleton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Eliza Sophia Hambleton at the office of David Mitchell, her attorney, 954 Broadway, Oakland, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of James Hambleton, deceased.

ELIZA SOPHIA HAMBLETON,

Administratrix of the estate of James Hambleton, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, February 25, 1903.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

In the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

DANIEL GORMAN, as Administrator of the estate of Ann Gorman, deceased, substituted in the place and stead of Ann Gorman,
Plaintiff.
vs.
PATRICK GORMAN,
Defendant.

Under and by virtue of a decree of divorce and sale of the community property of the parties hereto, duly given and made on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1900, in the above entitled action in said Superior Court, wherein the above named defendant obtained a judgment and decree of divorce against the plaintiff, Ann Gorman, above named, and said judgment and decree was on the 22nd day of May, 1900, recorded in Judgment Book 54, page 309, of said Court, to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made for the terms, conditions and manner of sale.

I am commanded to sell all that real property and parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the said City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, known and described as lot number 14, in block marked D; said block D being bounded on the north by Sutter street, on the east by Park street, on the south by Parsons street, and on the west by San Pablo avenue, as the same is delineated and designated on the map entitled Gaskill Tract, Oakland, filed on February 2nd, 1877, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

And public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF MARCH, 1903,

at 12 o'clock noon, in the office of Baldwin & Howell, No. 10 Montgomery street, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, I will, in obedience to said decree above mentioned, sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, San Francisco, Cal., March 2nd, 1903.

W. W. ACKERSON,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Avis Walrath, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Avis Walrath, deceased, and for the issuance to Lucy Walrath of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 16th, 1903.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By G. S. PIERCE, Deputy Clerk.
NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys for Petitioner, 861 Broadway.

PROPOSALS.

FOR ADOPTING TEXT BOOKS

ROOMS OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, OAKLAND, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CAL., MARCH 12, 1903.

The County Board of Education of Alameda County, California will receive sealed bids up to ten o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1903,

for supplying a series of text books, in writing, and in music, and a text book in oral arithmetic and in elementary history for the use of the district schools in Alameda County, for the period of four years, from July 1, 1903, to July 1, 1907.

At the above time and place all bids received by said Board according to the terms of this publication will be opened in open session of said County Board of Education.

The Board expressly reserves the right to reject any bid, or all bids.

Each bid offered must be accompanied by sample copies of the books proposed to be furnished, together with a statement of the wholesale and retail price at which the publisher agrees to furnish said books within the County of Alameda during the full time for which said books are adopted.

The publisher or publishers whose proposals shall be accepted, must enter into a written contract with the Board of Education of Alameda county and shall give a good and sufficient bond, in a sum to be set by the said County Board of Education of Alameda county for the faithful performance thereof.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

By T. O. CRAWFORD, Secretary.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE NO.—

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO ALFRED AYHENS, HIS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE SOLE FRANCHISE, RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE FOR THE PERIOD OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS, FOR THE COLLECTION, REMOVAL AND DISPOSITION OF DEAD HORSES, MULES, JACKASSES, OXEN, COWS AND STEERS, FROM THE PUBLIC POUND AND FROM THE PUBLIC STREETS, SQUARES, ALLEYS OR HIGHWAYS, IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND, AND FROM OTHER PLACES THEREIN, WITH CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED UPON AND REQUIRED OF SAID GRANTEE AND FIXING THE MAIXMUM FEE THAT SHALL BE CHARGED BY SUCH GRANTEE, AND CREATING A LIEN UPON SAID DEAD ANIMALS FOR THE COLLECTION OF SAID FEES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, Alfred Ayhens, on Feb. 2, 1903, made his written application to this Council for a franchise and privilege from said City, to collect, remove and dispose of the carcass of all animals killed at the public pound, and the carcasses of all dead horses, mules, jackasses, cows, steers or oxen, in said City, and thereafter by resolution of said Council duly and regularly adopted at a regular meeting thereof, held on Feb. 2, 1903, notice of such application was ordered given by publication in "The Oakland Tribune," a newspaper, printed and published daily in the City of Oakland, once a day for ten successive days, which notice was also required to contain the statements required by law to be contained and incorporated in such notice and advertisement; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to said order and resolution, said notice of application for said franchise containing all the matters hereinabove referred to or by law required to be contained therein, and containing the statement that sealed bids for said franchise would be received by said City Council by and through its Clerk, at the office of said City Clerk, at the City Hall of said City of Oakland, up to five o'clock P. M. on the 16th day of March, 1903, was duly and regularly advertised and published in said "Oakland Tribune," a daily newspaper of said City of Oakland, once a day for ten successive days, which said publication was completed not less than twenty days or more than thirty days before any further action upon said franchise was taken by said City Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to said notice and at a meeting of said City Council, duly and regularly held on March 16th, 1903, at the hour of eight o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said City, all sealed bids which had theretofore been filed with the City Clerk of said City as required as aforesaid, were opened, and read by said City Clerk in open session; and

WHEREAS, the sealed bid of said ALFRED AYHENS, then and there opened and read, offering to pay for said franchise and privilege in addition to the amount required to be paid by law, the further sum and cash bid and offer of two hundred dollars, in cash, lawful money of the United States, was duly filed with said City Clerk, as provided in said resolution and said advertisement and publication; and was the highest bid made for said franchise or privilege by any person, firm or corporation; and

WHEREAS, at said meeting said franchise and privilege was then and there struck off, sold and granted to said ALFRED AYHENS, by said City Council; and

WHEREAS, said ALFRED AYHENS did, within twenty-four hours thereafter, deposit with the City Clerk of said City of Oakland, as directed by said City Council, the full amount of his said cash bid; and

WHEREAS, said ALFRED AYHENS did, within five days after said franchise was awarded to him as aforesaid, file with said City Council, a bond running to said City of Oakland, in the penal sum of $500, with at least two good and sufficient sureties, conditioned in all respects as required by law, which said bond and the sureties therein were duly approved by said City Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, the sole right, franchise and privilege is hereby granted unto ALFRED AYHENS, his successors and assigns, to collect, remove and dispose of the carcasses of all dead horses, mules, jackasses, oxen, cows and steers, killed at the public pound, and the carcasses of all dead horses, mules, jackasses, cows, steers or oxen from the public streets, squares, alleys or highways, in the City of Oakland, and from other places therein, for the term or period of twenty-five years from and after March 16, 1903, which said franchise, right and privilege is hereby granted, subject to the conditions, requirements and provisions of this ordinance, to-wit:

It shall be the duty of said grantee of said franchise, to remove any said dead animals found upon the public streets, squares, alleys and highways of said City, within three hours after notice is given to said grantee that there are any said dead animals upon the said streets, squares, alleys and highways of the said City, upon receipt of the fee therefor, herein provided.

That all said dead animals so removed, disposed of or collected by said grantee, shall be transferred from the place where the same may be found, in water-tight vehicles, which vehicles shall be so constructed so as to hide from the public view the carcass of any such animal so being transported, and that such vehicles shall be so constructed and prepared so that they or their contents shall not be offensive or injurious to the people in said City.

That all the work of removing, collecting or disposing of said dead animals, shall be done without expense to the City of Oakland, and that the said grantee, his successors or assigns, so collecting, removing or disposing of said dead animals shall have a lien upon the carcass of said animal so removed, collected or disposed of for the purpose of paying fees, costs, or charges for such removal or collection and disposing of the same; and the maximum fee therefor is hereby fixed at $2.00 per carcass.

That said grantee shall at all times be subject to and conform to all health and sanitary regulations and requirements now in force or that may hereafter be enacted or ordained during the existence of said franchise.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith or inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed in so far as they are inconsistent with or in conflict with this ordinance.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, March 16, 1903.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bishop, Boyer, Courtney, Cuvellier, Dornin, Ruch, Wallace, Wixson and President Shaffer—9.
Noes—None.
Absent—Cadman and Fitzgerald—2.
Attest: ROD W. CHURCH, City Clerk.
Oakland, March 17, 1903.
157-3-17-10t

ORDINANCE NO.—

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS SIX AND NINE OF ORDINANCE 1093 ENTITLED, "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND REGULATING THE TRAFFIC, VENDING AND DISPOSING OF SPIRITUOUS, MALT AND FERMENTED LIQUORS OR WINES, OR ANY ADMIXTURE THEREOF, IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND."

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

Section 1. Section 6 of Ordinance No. 1093 entitled, "An ordinance Establishing and Regulating the Traffic, Vending and Disposing of Spirituous, Malt and Fermented Liquors or Wines, or any Admixture thereof in the City of Oakland," approved September 4, 1889, is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 6. Such applicant or applicants shall, at the time of making application for permission to obtain a license, file with the City Clerk a bond in the penal sum of one thousand ($1000) dollars, with two or more sureties, who shall each be a resident of the City of Oakland, and shall each qualify in double the amount of the penal sum of the bond; said bond to be approved by the City Council and conditioned that the said applicants shall conduct the business for which the license is sought in a quiet, orderly and reputable manner, and will not permit any breach of the peace, or disturbance of the public order or decorum, by any tumultuous, riotous or disorderly conduct upon the premises, and shall not sell, give or furnish any intoxicating liquor, spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any person in a state of intoxication, or to any person under the age of 18 years; and that said applicant or applicants shall obey and abide by all laws and ordinances now in force and which may be hereafter enacted, regulating the time of closing saloons and places of business where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, are sold. Said application and recommendation, after the approval of said bond, shall be immediately referred to the Municipal License Committee for investigation, who shall report the result thereof to the Council at the next regular meeting following. If said report be in favor of granting the permission to said applicant or applicants, the Council may by resolution, grant the permission applied for, which permission shall remain in force until revoked by the Council and be good only for the person, firm or corporation and place named therein and shall be filed with the Tax Collector.

It is hereby made the duty of the License Inspector every twelve months after the filing of the bond herein specified, to ascertain if said bond is still a good and sufficient bond and in event that any of the sureties thereon have died, removed from the City or have become insolvent or if for any reason at any time said bond has become insufficient, the said License Inspector shall require the holder of the license to furnish a new bond, which new bond shall be approved by the Council as in the first instance.

Section 2. Section 9 of said Ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 9. The keeping of a disorderly or disreputable house or place, or the selling or giving of any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor, or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any intoxicated person, or to any minor under the age of 18 years, or the violating of any of the provisions of this ordinance by any person, firm or corporation hereby licensed, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof said conviction shall work a revocation and forfeiture of the license and permission obtained, as well as a forfeiture of the bond given under the said provisions, and no license shall thereafter be granted to such person, firm or corporation. The Council may at any time for such cause as they or a majority of them upon investigating deem sufficient, revoke any permission granted in this Ordinance and it is especially ordained and declared that all such permissions are held at the pleasure of the Council.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., March 16, 1903.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bishop, Boyer, Cadman, Courtney, Cuvellier, Ruch, Wixson and President Shaffer—8.
Noes—Dornin and Wallace—2.
Absent—Fitzgerald—1.
Attest: ROD W. CHURCH, City Clerk.
Oakland, March 17, 1903.
156-3-17-10.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NELLIE HOLMES,
Plaintiff
vs.
RUSSELL H. HOLMES,
Defendant.
Dept. 3.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of Alameda in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to: Russell H. Holmes, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the Complaint filed therein, within ten days exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this Summons, if served on you within this county; otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of divorce that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved, for the care, custody and control of the children, the issue of the marriage between said parties, costs and counsel fees, special reference being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said Complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 24th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By G. S. PIERCE, Deputy Clerk.
DAVID MITCHELL, lawyer, 954 Broadway, Oakland, Plaintiff's Attorney.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE NO.—

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING AND ESTABLISHING THE OFFICIAL WIDTH OF SIDEWALKS ON ALCATRAZ AVENUE FROM THE CENTER OF TELEGRAPH AVENUE WESTERLY TO THE BERKELEY TOWN LINE.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

The official width of sidewalks on Alcatraz Avenue, from the center of Telegraph Avenue westerly to the Berkeley Town line, is hereby changed from fourteen (14) feet to nine (9) feet and the official width of said sidewalks is hereby established at nine (9) feet.

SECTION 2.

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., March 16, 1903.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs. Bishop, Boyer, Courtney, Cuvellier, Dornin, Fitzgerald, Wallace, Wixson and President Shaffer—9.
Noes—None.
Absent—Cadman and Ruch—2.
Attest: ROD W. CHURCH, City Clerk.
Oakland, March 14, 1903.
155-3-14-10t.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Solano, State of California, made on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1903, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Mary Bailey, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 30th day of March, A. D. 1903, in one parcel, all the right, title and interest of the said Mary Bailey in and to all those certain lots of land, situated in the Town of Berkeley, Alameda County, State of California and known and described upon a map or plat entitled, "Map of the Valley Road Tract, Berkeley, Alameda Co., Cal., June, 1897," now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the said Alameda County, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2 and 3 in Block B; lots 6, 7, 8 and 9 and the west thirty-eight (38) feet of lot 5 in Block C; lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and the west thirty-eight (38) feet of lot 15 in Block D.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE—CASH, ten per cent. to accompany bid, and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

Bids or offers will be received at the office of Glen Cove Land and Transportation Co., 22 Market street, in the City and County of San Francisco, California.

GEORGE M. SHELDON,
Guardian of the Person and Estate of said Minor.

OFFICE OF THE

Assessor of Alameda County

POLL TAX NOTICE

Oakland, February 28th, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1903 is now due and payable at my office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3829 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN JULY

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

OFFICE OF THE

Assessor of Alameda County

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Oakland, February 28th, 1903.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations, are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before April 1st, 1903, a statement, under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH 1903

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement, as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name, or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 1st, 1903, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1903.

ASSESSMENT BLANKS may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned not to trust any one on account of The Tribune Publishing Company without a written order signed by an officer of this corporation. Any indebtedness incurred without said order will not be recognized.

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By W. E. DARGIE, President.

LEGAL.

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Louisa Stewart, Deceased. No. 23,985.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of the County of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 6th day of March 1903, in the matter of the estate of Louisa Stewart, deceased, the undersigned administrator of the estate of said Louisa Stewart, deceased, will on and after Thursday, the 26th day of March 1903, at the law office of Reed & Nusbaumer, No. 922 Broadway, City of Oakland, State of California, sell at private sale in two separate parcels to the highest bidder for each parcel respectively, for cash in United States Gold Coin, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all of the right, title, interest and estate that said decedent had at the time of her death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that her estate has acquired by operation of law, or otherwise, since her death in and to those two certain lots, pieces and parcels of land situated, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit: A lot of land commencing at a point on the northeasterly line of the county road leading from San Leandro to Haywards, being the northwesterly corner of a tract of land containing 20.28 acres heretofore conveyed by James Carroll to Joseph S. Dutra, by in Liber 97 of Deeds, at page 255, in the office of the County Recorder of said deed dated March 20th, 1874, and recorded Alameda County; thence N 50 degrees 35 minutes E 2064.7 feet to a stake in the line of the land of Theodore Le Roy; thence N 43 degrees 20 minutes W 21.8 feet to a stake on said line; thence S 56 degrees 25 minutes W 2110.4 feet to the line of said County road and thence S 48 1-2 degrees E along the line of said County road 237.4 feet to the place of beginning, containing 6.05 acres of land.

Also a lot of land commencing at a point where the northeasterly line of Watkins street from San Leandro if projected would intersect the northerly line of a tract of land heretofore conveyed to one William Campbell; thence N 27 degrees 45 minutes W 411.1 feet to a stake thence east 1436.2 feet to a stake; thence south 365.7 feet to the northerly line of said Campbell Tract aforesaid, and thence N 89 degrees 55 minutes W 1245.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 10.08 acres of land excepting therefrom the right of way of the Central Pacific Railroad Company through said land as the same is fenced and laid out and occupied by such roadway and track.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in United States gold coin. Said parcels of land to be bid for and sold separately.

Bids must be in writing and be left at the law office of Reed & Nusbaumer, No. 922 Broadway, City of Oakland, California, or may be delivered to the undersigned administrator personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the said Superior Court, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the said sale. On acceptance of any bid, ten per cent of the amount bid to be thereupon immediately paid to the undersigned administrator, and the balance on confirmation of the sale by said Superior Court and delivery of deed. The sales will be subject to the rights (expiring September 30th, 1903) of the tenants from said estate of said parcels of land respectively. Abstracts of title and deeds at purchasers expense.

JAMES STEWART,
Administrator of the estate of Louisa Stewart, deceased.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Solano, State of California, made on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1903, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of George R. Bailey, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 30th day of March, A. D. 1903, in one parcel, all the right, title and interest of the said George R. Bailey in and to all those certain lots of land, situated in the Town of Berkeley, Alameda County, State of California, and known and described upon a map or plat entitled, "Map of the Valley Road Tract, Berkeley, Alameda Co., Cal., June, 1897," now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the said Alameda County, to-wit:

Lots 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 in Block B; lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 16, 17, 18, 19 and the east two (2) feet of lot 15 in Block D.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE—CASH, ten per cent. to accompany bid, and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

Bids or offers will be received at the office of Glen Cove Land and Transportation Co., 22 Market street, in the City and County of San Francisco, California.

GEORGE M. SHELDON,
Guardian of the Person and Estate of said Minor.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Solano, State of California, made on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1903, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Cherry Bailey, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 30th day of March, A. D. 1903, in one parcel, all the right, title and interest of the said Cherry Bailey in and to all those certain lots of land, situated in the Town of Berkeley, Alameda County, State of California, and known and described upon a map or plat entitled, "Map of the Valley Road Tract, Berkeley, Alameda Co., Cal., June, 1897," now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the said Alameda County, to-wit:

Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in Block B; lots 2, 3 and 4 in Block D; and lot 18 in Block E.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE—CASH, ten per cent. to accompany bid, and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

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GEORGE M. SHELDON,
Guardian of the Person and Estate of said Minor.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Solano, State of California, made on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1903, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Rita Bailey, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 30th day of March, A. D. 1903, in one parcel, all the right, title and interest of the said Rita Bailey in and to all those certain lots of land, situated in the Town of Berkeley, Alameda County, State of California, and known and described upon a map or plat entitled, "Map of the Valley Road Tract, Berkeley, Alameda Co., Cal., June, 1897," now on file in the office of the County Recorder of the said Alameda County, to-wit:

All of Block A; lot 4 and the east two (2) feet of lot 5 in Block C; and lots 15, 16 and 17 in Block E.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE—CASH, ten per cent. to accompany bid, and balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court.

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PROMPT DELIVERY

DECLARES HE IS INNOCENT.

GEORGE HOSSEY DECLARES HE DID NOT POISON PEOPLE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 18.—From hiscell in the Central Police Station George Hossey, who is accused of conspiring to poison Will Danze, has given out a declaration of innocence. He says:

"What has come out about my killing and poisoning people is untrue in every respect and I want to contradict it. I understand the police are trying to get evidence against me, but they cannot do so, because I did not do it."

Eleven druggists have been examined in the District Attorney's office. The declaration of Frederick Shoether, Assistant District Attorney, that detectives have found where Mr. and Mrs. Williams obtained arsenic is thought to have some relation to the Hossey case. It is now known that the search for evidence in the Williams child murder case unearthed Hossey.

Some of the authorities apparently see more significance in the connection of a company of spiritualists with both Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Danze.

THEIR AUTOMOBILE CAUSED A PANIC.

CHICAGO, March 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Phoenix, Ariz., says:

Word has been received here that Shirley Christy, general manager in the Southwest for an American life insurance company, and Ben Shuster, who has been touring Mexico, in an automobile, have been thrown into jail at Cananea, Sonora, because their automobile caused a panic.

AGAINST LAW FOR MAN TO KISS HIS WIFE.

Sabbath Association Trying to Enforce Old Blue Laws.

Publishers of Sunday Morning Newspapers Will Be Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, March 18.—To force the issue on the blue laws, the prominent members of the Sabbath Observance Association have sworn out warrants for the arrests of several publishers of morning newspapers, and the executive officers of a news company, a locomotive works and an ice cream company.

The newspapers are being prosecuted for accepting advertisements on Sunday, selling wares or doing any manner of labor prohibited by the act of 1794, which also prohibits a man from kissing his wife.

BROTHERHOODS IN COURT.

THEY MAKE REPLY TO THE CHARGES OF WABASH COMPANY.

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—In Judge Adams' court this morning the reading of affidavits by attorneys of the Wabash Railroad Company was resumed. They presented in all twenty-two affidavits and the reading of these occupied the greater part of the morning session of the court.

Counsel for the defendant brotherhoods announced at the opening of court that they had fifteen affidavits in rebuttal of those offered by the railroad company this morning and which they would present as soon as the statements presented by the railroad company were in.

They said that all of these were short and that the entire number would not consume over an hour in the reading.

All the affidavits submitted by the company this morning were of a character to uphold that of President Ramsey made yesterday.

At 12:30 an adjournment was taken until two o'clock, the railroad company being still engaged with its affidavits.

STRATTON LOSES POLITICAL POWER.

The establishment of the new Department of Commerce and Labor has taken considerable political power from Collector of the Port Stratton.

The Collector will lose the Immigration Bureau, with Hart North, the Immigration Commissioner, at the head, and, what is of far more importance, the Chinese Bureau, of which Charles Mehan is in charge. The other bureaux and divisions transferred from the Treasury Department to the new department are the Lighthouse Board, the Lighthouse Establishment, the Steamship Inspection Service, the Bureau of Navigation, the United States Shipping Commission, the National Bureau of Standards, the Coast and Geodetic Survey and the Bureau of Statistic. From the Interior Department is transferred the Department of Labor and the Fish Commission.

TWO KILLED IN A COLLISION.

PITTSBURG, March 18.—A Fort Wayne freight crashed into a furniture van of the North Side Transfer Company at the Sandusky-street crossing, Alleghany, today, killing John McKnight and Albert Cornelius and seriously injuring Sam Hustler and John McGreavy. The accident was caused by the fog and a misunderstanding of signals.

WILL REPRESENT GERMANY.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—In view of Germany's attitude concerning Venezuela the post of German Minister to Venezuela calls for a diplomat of the first order. By appointing Herr Pelldram, the Kaiser has secured just such a man. The German government has highest confidence in him and his record is a good one.

THEY WOULD NOT CONFIRM.

SENATE COMMITTEE HOLDS UP A PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The Senate Finance Commitee held a meeting today to consider the nomination of William Plimley to be assistant treasurer at New York. No definite action was taken and before any determination is reached Senator Aldrich will confer with the President. It is expected that the conference will take place this afternoon.

The Senate Finance Committee has decided to hold up for the present the nomination of George Sawter of New York, to be assistant appraiser of merchandise. As the committee will not meet again during the present session, this action will insure failure of confirmation for the present session. The failure of the committee to pass upon the nomination was due to the fact that the members did not consider Mr. Sawter's endorsements sufficient to warrant confirmation.

THREE HUNDRED GO ON A STRIKE

CHICAGO, March 18.—Three hundred shipping, receiving clerks and salesmen in twelve of the large plumbing supply houses, went on strike today for a nine-hour day and a fifteen per cent increase in wages. All the concerns are members of the employers' organization, known as the Central Supply Association.

SHIPPING ON MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO, March 18.—The navigation season on Lake Michigan has been opened by the steamers Soo City and Alice Stafford. The former made its first trip to St. Joseph last night, the latter leaving for Grand Haven.

All steamship companies are making preparations for a large business during the summer.

NO COLORED MAN FOR OFFICE.

SENATOR MONEY MAKES AN ATTACK ON THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The Senate met at 11 o'clock and soon Mr. Money, in accordane with his notice previously given, spoke on the Indianola (Miss.), postoffice case.

Mr. Money said it was the duty of the Postmaster-General to heal the breach that had been created. The department has made the people of the South hate the administration, he said:

"The people of the South hoped Mr. Roosevelt would be an American President, but instead he is President of the black belt."

This appointment, he said, had caused general disgust. The President had raised the question of social equality of the negro.

Mr. Money said recent appointments have revived the race question. The South has tolerated negro office-holders but does not want any more of them.

"This is a white man's country and government," he declared.

There was a feeling in the South, he said, that no colored man should hold office.

DEFENDANTS WIN ON A TECHNICALITY.

NEW YORK, March 18.—In an opinion handed down by Judge Thomas in the criminal branch of the United States Circuit Court, the demurrer interposed by former Judge J. A. Dittenhoefer in behalf of Abraham S. Rosenthal and Martin L. Cohn, comprising the firm of A. S. Rosenthal & Company and Charles C. Browne, a former examiner of silks in the Custom House, who were indicted for alleged frauds in the importation of Japanese silks, is sustained. The demurrer was upon the ground that W. Wickham Smith, who was appointed special Attorney-General to conduct the silk prosecutions, had no legal right to appear before the Federal Grand Jury in the cases of Rosenthal, Cohn and Browne, that being properly the function of the United States District Attorney.

PITTSBURG MAN TURNED DOWN.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.—Minister of the Interior Von Plehwe has informed the Mayor that the Government has refused the application of Murray A. Verner of Pittsburg, Pa., for the St. Petersburg and Moscow traction franchises. Both municipalities opposed the application. They desire to construct the street railways themselves.

MONITOR'S TRIAL RUN.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 18.—The coast defense monitor Florida, with the government trial board, of which Captain C. J. Train is chairman, on board, left here shortly after 11 o'clock today and headed for the Long Island shore to begin her official trial run. The starting point is three miles north of the Long Island shore and about south of Stratford Shoal. The run will be twice over a course of 11½ knots.

ONLY ONE BREAK REPORTED IN LEVEE.

Town of Marian Said to Be in Desperate Straits.

Inhabitants are Alarmed and Prepare for a Flood.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. March 18.—The river stands at 39.6 feet this morning and is stationary. The levees continue to hold and only one break is reported in the St. Francis system, that in the Trice Landing, 20 miles north of here. The waters are rushing through this crevasse at a furious rate and flooding the Arkansas basin south. The town of Marian, Crittenden county, is in desperate straits and its inhabitants are greatly alarmed at the rapid encroachment of the flood.

Hundreds of refugees are in Marian and every available building is being used to house them.

Reports of loss of life in remote sections are current but only in two cases can they be verified. The body of an unknown white woman was found in the water near Mound City and the body of a negro was taken from the overflowed district.

The levee here is crowded with poor negroes who were picked up by steamboats. The city authorities have turned over several buildings for their use.

A despatch from Covington states that Island 35, which is considered one of the highest in the north end of the river, is flooded for the first time in its history. Sixty persons were rescued from the island this morning by a steamer.

Reports from Helena state that the people of North Helena are alarmed. The levee in that part of the town will only hold one foot more of water.

The Huntington levee in Bolivar county, Miss., continues to hold. The situation in North Memphis is unchanged. People are transferred in skiffs and many are idle because of the shutting down of several industries.

LEVEES HOLDING ALL RIGHT.

NEW ORLEANS IS NOW PRACTICALLY SAFE FROM A FLOOD.

NEW ORLEANS, March 18.—The fact that there has been no rise of consequence since Saturday and that the weather continues clear has enabled the State, Federal and district authorities materially to improve the temporary levees in front of the city.

The New Orleans levee board said today that the situation was full of hope and that there was no reason whatever for local apprehension.

The gauge today marked 19.3, a rise of .1 in 24 hours.

All the levees south of the Red river continue to hold.

Men are working on the levee between New Orleans and Kenner and the Sarpey levee above Kenner.

The Mississippi Valley patrol train is carrying men and material to the scene.

OHIO RIVER HAS FALLEN.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The Ohio river has fallen 1.2 feet at Cairo and as a consequence the Mississippi river, while slightly higher at Memphis, can rise but little more. The stage at the last named place this morning is 39.6. The situation below is unchanged, the stages being: Vicksburg, 49.3, a rise of .3; New Orleans, 19.3, a rise of .1.

LEO WRITES A LATIN POEM.

NEW YORK, March 18.—As part of his contribution to the celebration of his eighty-third birthday and the twenty-fifth anniversary of his election as Pope, Leo XIII, wrote a Latin poem, which has been translated for the current number of the Independent. The translation follows:

"Leo, now sets thy sun: Pale is its dying ray:
Black night succeeds thy day.
Black night for thee: Wasted thy frame: Life's flood sustains
No more thy shrunken veins.
Death casts his fatal dart: Robed for the grave thy bones
Lie under the cold stones.
But my freed soul escapes her chains, and longs in flight
To reach the realms of light.
That is the goal she seeks: Thither her journey fares:
Grant, Lord, my anxious prayers.
That with the citizens of heaven, God's face and light
May ever thrill my sight.
That I may see thy face, Heaven's Queen, whose mother love
Has brought me home above.
To Thee, saved through the tangles of a perilous way
I lift my grateful lay."

APPOINTMENT CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Information of the appointment of Bishop Conaty, formerly rector of the Catholic University in this city, as Bishop of Los Angeles, is confirmed by private advices received from Rome.

DID HE ROB TO BUY WINE FOR WOMEN?

Two New Witnesses to Testify Against Dimmick.

Gold Bottles and Birds Paid for With Government's Funds.

Wine and women are now said to be the cause of the downfall of Walter N. Dimmick, one time chief clerk of the United States Branch Mint of San Francisco, who is being tried for the third time for stealing $30,000 from the Government.

Since the third trial began two attractive young women have been in attendance and it is claimed that their testimony will send Dimmick to the penitentiary for a long term.

After the two disagreements Secret Service Agent Burns set about to secure evidence that would prove to a jury that Dimmick was in possession of the shining gold outside the walls of the mint. It is claimed that he was successful beyond his fondest dreams.

One of the women is Miss Driscoll, who was formerly employed as a stenographer in the office of Attorney D. M. Delmas in San Francisco. Dimmick had a fondness for stenographers, especially when they were attractive, it is said, and Miss Driscoll was not only pretty, but was a brilliant conversationalist. She was fond of hot birds and she could make a quart bottle of wine look foolish in less time than it takes to tell it. The story goes that Dimmick was frequently in Miss Driscoll's company, a privilege which cost money, and it is said that the Government had to foot the bills.

On one occasion, it is said that Dimmick went to Miss Driscoll's apartments with his now famous dress-suit case. They had dined together late the night before and Dimmick was sleepy. He threw himself upon a couch and was soon in the arms of Morpheus. The dress-suit case lay upon the floor, it sides bulging suspiciously. Curiosity overcame the woman and she crossed the room stealthily to the case. She opened it and saw that it contained three canvas bags. She yielded to further temptation and opened one of the bags. To her amazement she found that it contained glittering $20 gold pieces. The sleeper stirred. Miss Driscoll quickly withdrew her hand, but three of the pieces were in it. After satisfying herself that Dimmick was not awake the woman retied the bag, closed the case and returned to her chair.

Before Dimmick's arrest Miss Driscoll decided that the climate of Chicago would suit her better than that of balmy California, and thither she went, but she was found by the indefatigible Burns, and when confronted with the facts, told him all he desired to know, and more.

The other witness is said to be Miss Cooper, also a stenographer. Miss Cooper was pleased by a hot bird and a bottle just off the ice as much as Miss Driscoll, and it is claimed she enjoyed a greater degree of Dimmick's confidence. About the time of the erstwhile chief clerk's arrest, Miss Cooper became convinced that she needed a change of climate, so she accepted a position as stenographer in an Arizona town. There Burns, the detective, found her, but he also found that she had become engaged to her employer and shrank from answering damaging questions. However, Burns persevered and Miss Cooper finally admitted that Dimmick had once desired entrusting her with $5,000. Fearing that all was not straight, she refused to accept the coin, which, it is alleged, he brought to her in his dress-suit case.

The trial of Dimmick is still in progress.

FIRE RAGES IN THE CARDIFF COAL MINE.

CARDIFF, Ill., March 18.—The fire resulting from the recent explosions in Cardiff coal mine has burned the shaft timbers, and, creeping to the surface, has destroyed the engine and machinery room. The mine is flooded and will be abandoned. No attempt, probably, will be made to recover the remaining bodies. Fifty mules in the mine were either killed by the explosion or drowned by flooding of the mine.

The loss to the Cardiff Coal Mining Company by the explosion and abandonment of the mine will be upwards of $75,000. Four hundred miners were employed and these are preparing to leave town. The place has 1,200 people.

FLAG FOR THE VETERAN RESERVES.

A few of the many friends of Company "A," Veteran Reserves, N. G. C., have sent to New York and purchased a beautiful silk flag to be presented to the company on Wednesday night, March 25. Miss Flora Kowalskey, a daughter of I. N. Kowalskey, a member of the company, and niece of Colonel Kowalskey, has done the work and has the matter in charge. Many prominent men of the State are expected to be present as well as the city officials. The commander of Appomattox Post, Joe Hooker Post and Lookout Mountain Post of the G. A. R. have been invited to be present as well as many officers of the National Guard.

"THE FATAL WEDDING."

Characters taken from life and placed in fancied scenes which smack of reality and are spiced with abundant sensation, appear in that unequalled mirror of modern life, "The Fatal Wedding," which comes to the Macdonough for a return engagement on Sunday, March 22.

No drama of recent years has evoked the same amount of enthusiasm and won as substantial monetary support. Its coming presentation in this city will undoubtedly be a repetition of past successes. The play is replete with stirring situations, startling climaxes and through it all ripples a vein of most wholesome comedy. The author has laid bare the characters and methods of a scheming adventuress and her male accomplice. It will hardly be denied, either, that such women as Cora Williams are to be met with in every city. It is truly a startling realistic presentation of an interesting phase of modern life. The scenes of the play give ample scope for some magnificent scenic display, and the same has been taken advantage of, no expense being spared to make this production one of the most thoroughly equipped organizations on tour.

The well known strengthening properties of iron, combined with other tonics and a most perfect nervine, are found in Carter's Iron Pills, which strengthen the nerves and body, and improve the blood and complexion.

BATTLE OPENS WITH THE REBELS.

Fighting is Said to Be in Progress Near Montevido.

Members of the Red Cross Have Started for the Scene.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, March 18.—Fighting between the revolutionists and Government forces is reported to have occurred near this city and members of the Red Cross have started for the scene.

Four delegates have been sent from here to treat for peace.

The Government proposes to call out the National Guard and declare a state of siege.

All telegrams are censored.

The Government peace delegates are instructed to notify Saravia, the instigator of the revolution, that the Government as the basis of an arrangement, will agree to the appointment under the direction of the Nationalist party, of new prefects in six departments.

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—United States Minister Finch has advised the State Department under date of Montevideo yesterday of the causes for the revolution in Uruguay as follows:

"The White party rebelled, dissatisfied with the new president, (Ordonez) who succeeded President Guastes, and the recent appointment of departmental prefects. No disorder in the capital. The government is hurrying troops to meet the revolutionists."

FIVE BOYS ARE DROWNED.

THEY WERE PLAYING ON A RAFT WHICH CAPSIZED.

CHANT, I. T., March 18.—Five boys playing on a raft which capsized were drowned. The dead are:

RAYMOND CROCROFT.
RALPH OAKS.
PETER BERRY.
CHARLES OAKS.
LUTHER BERRY.

The ages of the boys ranged from five to nine years. The bodies were recovered.

WILL GO ON A BIG BEAR HUNT.

NEW YORK, March 18.—To seek in Alaskan wilds the blue or glacier bear, an animal so rare that so far as is known only one has been killed and none captured, two English sportsmen, Captain Charles Eustace Radclyffe, a retired officer of the Life Guards, and Richard Fitzgerald Glynn, of the First Royal Dragoons, commissioned by the British Museum to get a specimen of this animal, have arrived here on their way to Northern Alaska.

ARRESTED FOR BREAKING LOCAL TRAIN WINDOW.

BERKELEY, March 18.—Walter Young, a 14-year-old Berkeley boy, was arrested this morning for throwing a rock through a window of the local train at Berkeley station. The complaint was sworn to by P. H. Maloney, a private detective for the railroad.

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